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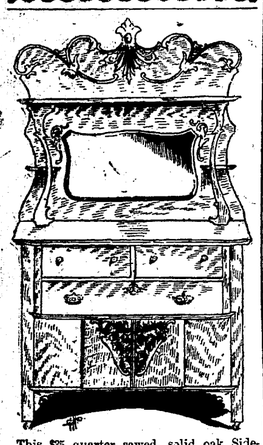

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HE GOT THERE!

The North Pole Has Been Reached

By Dr. Nansen, the Norwegian.

The Explorer Found Land There.

Is Now Returning Towards Civilization.

The Interesting Story of the Fitting Out of the Expedition—Life of the Explorer.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 13—A telegraphic dispatch received here today from Irkutsk, Siberia, says that a Siberian trader named Kouchnareff, who is the agent of Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, the Norwegian explorer, who sailed in the Fram June 24, 1892, for the Arctic regions, has received information to the effect that Dr. Nansen has reached the north pole, has found land there and is now returning towards civilization.

In April last the Figaro, of Paris, circulated a rumor that Dr. Nansen had found the north pole and that it is situated on a chain of mountains. It was then added that he had planted the Norwegian flag there. The story was generally regarded as being without foundation. On September 17 of last year, advices were received in London from the Danish trading station of Angmagsalik, on the east coast of Greenland, that a ship supposed to be Dr. Nansen's Fram, had been sighted at the end of July, stuck fast in an ice drift.

Finally on December 6, a dispatch from Christiana, Norway, stated that Dr. Nansen's wife received a letter by carrier pigeon reporting that the expedition was doing well. As no carrier pigeons were taken north by the Nansen party, this report evidently was incorrect, but published for what it was worth.

Dr. Fritjof Nansen is a distinguished scientist of Norway and an enthusiastic believer in the possibility of finding the North Pole. He is about thirty-five years of age. He left the university of Christiana in 1880 and two years later went on a sealing trip to Denmark straits, on the east coast of Greenland, in the Viking. Later in 1882 Nansen was appointed curator of the museum at Bergen, which position he retained until 1888, when he led a small expedition of six men to Greenland, constituting the southern part of that portion of the globe.

It was probably during this trip that Nansen conceived the plan of making an attempt to reach the North pole in the vessel constructed specially for such an undertaking. In any case, after his return to Norway, Nansen took the preliminary steps towards fitting out his expedition and the Fram was planned and constructed. She is classed as a three-masted schooner, but she had a 160 horse power steam engine in addition to her sails. Her displacement was 800 tons and her sides were so constructed as to force all ice meeting the vessel to pass underneath her, thus preventing "pinching" and "screwing." The Norwegian parliament allowed Nansen about $52,000 to fit out his craft and, in addition, he was assisted in his work by many private subscriptions, including one of $5,000 from King Oscar. The Fram was launched October 26, 1892, at Laurfik, near Christiana. A Norwegian paper, describing the fitting out of the Fram, said:

"Bread is the principal nourishment of Nansen and his people. The bread is a kind of biscuit, large and round, white and very compact. The ration of each man is to consist of four biscuits a day. This, at least, was given out when the expedition left Norway. Silk is used as the most suitable material for tents, as it shuts out the cold better than anything else. The cabin of Nansen's ship, the Fram, (forward), is heated by means of an English petroleum stove, which consumes three litres of petroleum per day. As the explorer has taken along with him a sufficient supply of this fuel to last him eight or nine years, there will be no lack of heating material. The library of the expedition consists of 1,000 books, half of which are scientific works and the other half novels, etc. The crew numbers twelve men, and all occupy the cabin, which measures only thirteen feet square. There they dwell, eat and work. The suits they wear cannot be penetrated by water."

The expedition sailed from Christiana, June 24, 1893, the doctor's plan being to make for the New Siberian islands and head north until the Fram had become imbedded in the ice and would be compelled to drift along the west coast of any land which might be found. On August 23, 1895, Dr. Nansen sent a dispatch from Vardo, reporting that on the 2nd of that month he was about to sail into the Kara Sea and that the Fram had behaved splendidly up to that stage of the journey, especially in making her way through the ice.

A London dispatch dated March 4, of last year, announced that a letter dated Kjollefdord, February 24, had reached Hammerfest, Norway, announcing that a telegraph inspector at a station in the mountains, between Lebesy and Langfjord, had seen a balloon moving in a southerly direction and believed that it was possibly carrying dispatches from Dr. Nansen but until the foregoing dispatch no further news of the balloon of Dr. Nansen had been received.

Dr. Nansen's companions were: Capt. Otto Sverdrup, ship master; Sigurd Scott Hansen, lieutenant in the Norwegian navy and director of the astronomical meteorology and magnetic observations; Henrik Blessing, surgeon and botanist; Theodore C. Jacobsen, mate; Peder Hendricsen, harpooner; Anton A. Mundusen, chief engineer; Lars Petersen, second engineer; Hjalmar Johannessen, officer in the Norwegian army, fireman; Bernard Nordahl, electrician; Ivan Mogatad, carpenter, and Adolf Juell, steward.

ON MEXICAN SOIL

Will the Two Bruisers Pound Each Other.

The Plan is to Make a Rush for Some Unprotected Spot and Fight Before the Troops Arrive.

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 13—Many of the sports here are becoming so anxious about their chances of seeing the big fight that they last night declared their intention of watching the depots all of the night to avoid being left. Besides the sports, General Mabry's rangers are carefully watching every train that pulls out, with the intention of boarding it if they see any intention of pulling off the fight in Texas. Stuart has repeatedly assured the adjutant general that he has no intention whatever of pulling off the fight in Texas. At 2:30 this morning the Rangers discovered two cars loaded with what they thought to be carnival paraphernalia attached to a South Pacific freight train just pulling out for the west. Captain Hughes, of the Rangers, ordered the train delayed until permission had been obtained for four of his men to accompany it to the state line. This was granted and the Rangers rode away on the train.

It is practically certain now that the fight will be on Mexican soil somewhere. It will be a dash across the border and a run for home after the fight is over. If the Mexican troops can manage to reach the battle ground, the chances are that it will be more than a run. It will be a wild and tumultous flight with the chances against those who are unable to swim the Rio Grande. There are places where an agile man may be able to jump across it and although nobody has ever done it, a terrified sport can do great things when he tries. Large delegations are expected from the east before the start is made for the battle ground tomorrow. More than 1,500 visitors are here now. The number at the ring side will not greatly exceed 2,000, if it reaches that number.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 13—Very few people have left here for the prize fight, as popular belief is that the government will be able to prevent its taking place on Mexican soil.

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 13—Jim Hall and Buck Connelly, seconds for Peter Maher, arrived from Las Cruces at noon today. Maher dropped off three miles out of the city and will come in tonight. Dan Stuart completed the arrangements for a special train today and the start for the battle ground will be made at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

WILL MAKE NEEDLES.

No More Need of Importing From Europe.

A Detroit Man Invents a Machine That Will Turn Out 2,500 Needles an Hour.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—A needle manufactury, the first in the United States, is soon to be started here, the needles to be made by a machine, the first of its kind, invented by Eugene Fontaine, of Detroit. Repeated tests have demonstrated its practicability, and it will turn out 2,500 needles an hour. They can be sold for fifty cents a thousand, as against $1 20 for English and seventy-five cents for German needles. The wire is kept on a spindle and is fed into the machine by the constant revolution of the spindle. Immediately upon being reeled into the machine the wire is cut into the lengths desired for the particular needle wanted. The short pieces of wire are then grasped in order by a clutch and the exposed end is brought into contact with a die, which stamps a blank through which the eye is to be made. A second die perforates this blank and a third die surges off the excess steel about the eyes. The needles then come in contact with a series of clutches, which take them from the first set of machinery, and, turning them end to end, exposes them to emery wheels and sand belts. After the point has been made perfect the needle is reversed again to another series of clutches and the eye is polished. From the polishing belts the needles drop into carrying machines at the rate of forty a minute. Up to this time the capacity of the machine has been but thirty-eight a minute, but in time it is thought that the output will greatly exceed that number.

See the Midway at the Princess Rink. The most elaborate production of its kind in America. General admission only 15c.

HE LIVED HIGH.

Tramp John Harmens Finds Over $20,000

Which Had Been Buried by Train Robbers—Is Under Arrest and Confesses.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 13.—John P. Harmens, a tramp, fifty years of age, who by his own confession recovered over $20,000 that was hidden by train robbers a year ago, is locked up in the jail in this city. For months he has been living in San Francisco on the fat of the land from the proceeds of the money taken from the overland express near Sacramento by Jack Brady and Browning over a year ago. The prisoner has turned over to the police $2,000, which he had in the German Savings bank in San Francisco; $5 900 in securities, a diamond ring and a diamond collar button. Harmens found the money hidden under a clump of bushes near Sacramento, where the robbers who held up the train had buried it. It is known that the robbers obtained over $50 000 from Wells-Fargo & Co., but Harmens did not find all of the plunder. He says he obtained only $20,000, but it is believed that these figures are rather under the exact amount. The conclusion is based on the fact that when Brady, one of the bandits, confessed and took the officers to the place where the money was buried and only $6,000 was found. Harmens had evidently taken the rest of the treasure before the officers arrived.

Harmens was arrested in San Francisco Saturday and brought to the city last night. In appearance he is a typical tramp. Among his friends he is known as "Dutch Charlie." After he found the money he went to San Francisco where he loaned a great deal to responsible business men. But he was not miserly, as it is said that he lived at places seldom dreamed of by the average tramp. He bought elegant clothes, making a trip to New York for the purpose and the tramp was transferred into a regular fashion plate.

AMENDMENT BEATEN.

The House Downs the Silver Coinage Measure.

Venezuela Accepts the Proposition of the United States Government—Other National News.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13—The amendment to the bond bill to coin the American product of silver was defeated in the house by a vote of 41 yeas to 118 ayes.

Through Senor Andrade, its minister here, the government of Venezuela has notified Secretary Olney that it will respond affirmatively to the invitation of the Venezuelan boundary commission to submit all of the evidence in its possession touching the location of the true boundary line. Senor Andrade also stated that the officials of the government of Venezuela are now at work compiling this record and it will be forwarded to the commission at Washington as soon as possible. Presumably the Venezuelan government will be represented before the commission by an agent or counsel as suggested in the invitation, as the minister has strongly recommended this course.

In his annual report to the secretary of state, Clinton Furbish, director of the bureau of American republics, strongly urges that steps be taken to reconvene the representatives of the nations participate in the union in order to arrange a line of work for the bureau in the future. This is made necessary by the practical completion of the principal work of compiling and publishing the series of hand books on the various American republics. This was brought to a close with the issue of the hand book on Peru and the bureau is now preparing a general hand book, intended to be of interest to all of the countries. The work of preparing the code of commercial nomenclature, which is intended to be a help to commercial firms in transacting business with each other, is progressing well, although it is said it may be necessary to reset the first edition, because it was prepared on a scale that has proven to be inconsistent for business men. The plan adopted last year of setting the special publication of the bureau at a figure just above cost price has worked well and the director says that the business interests which are benefitted make no complaint.

UPRISING AT SEOUL.

The Ill-Fated Capital of Corea Again the Scene.

Rebels Kill the Premier and Seven Officials and Drive the King Into Hiding.

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 13—Advices just received from Seoul, capital of Corea, say that an uprising took place there on Tuesday last, February 11, during which the premier and seven officials were murdered. The dispatches add that the king and crown prince have sought shelter in the Russian legation. Twi Won Kun is also there. It is stated that the king ordered the ministers to be put to death. A force of 200 Russian sailors and marines are now guarding the legation of that country.

Combination Horse Sale.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Feb. 13—There are already over 250 entries for the combination sale of trotting bred horses, to be held here March 3-7, by S. J. Fleming. Prominent among the number is Coastman, 2.08¾; Tip O' Tip, 2:12¼; Letta C, 2:16¼; Mary Anderson, 2:16; T. N. B., 2:10¼, and others. Among the various consignments are the entire stock of Edgwood farm; seventeen head from S. D. Puett, of Rockville; fifteen from Frank McKeen and over forty fine drivers, matched teams, saddlers, coachers and buggy horses, all from the best stock in the country. Col. George A. Bain will officiate as auctioneer.

UP FOR HEARING.

Jackson and Walling Before a Cincinnati Police Judge.

They Waived Examination and Were Committed to Jail Without Bond Until February 18th.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 13—When the patrol wagon drove to the jail door on Sycamore street this morning to take Jackson and Walling to the police court, there was a curious crowd on the sidewalk to catch such glimpse of the prisoners as could be had as they mounted the stairway from the jail door to the sidewalk and crossed the walk to the wagon. Both were handcuffed, but they entered into no conversation as they met for the first time for several days. They were driven quickly to the city hall and were placed in the cells until they should be called for their hearings. Meantime, a most unusual scene was witnessed in and about the court room. There was a wild struggle for admission into the little temple of police justice and all the hallways adjacent were jammed with men and women, who were unable to even look into the doorway of the court room. An extra detail of officers was necessary to keep the crowd from degenerating into a mob. It was a long time before the prisoners were brought up for examination, and the process was very brief. They both waived examination and were ordered to be committed to jail without bonds on charge of being fugitives from justice and the case was continued until February 18 While the commitments were being prepared, the men were returned to their sells. Sheriff Plummer, of Newport, will at once apply to the governor for a requisition for the prisoners.

William F. Wood, whose case was also set for today and who was out on bond, did not appear when called, and his bond was promptly forfeited. Subsequently he came in and his case was continued until February 28 and he was locked up until a new bond can be given. Both Jackson and Walling were represented by attorneys. The charges preferred against the prisoners were murder and fugitives from justice.

Upon suggestion of Attorney Mercy, who represented Walling, the charge of murder was withdrawn and the other charge left against them. It is understood this signifies on acquiesence by the Cincinnati authorities, on the theory that the murder was committed in Kentucky and that no resistance will be made to the demand for their removal to that state for trial. It has been thought all along that the prospect of lynching, which has generally been regarded as likely in Newport, will bring one or the other man to the point of furnishing the missing link in the chain of evidence, namely the cabman who drove them with their victim to the place of murder.

The grand jury of Campbell county, Ky., sitting in Newport this morning, reported to Judge Perkins indictments against Scott Jackson and Alonzo M. Walling for the wilful murder of Pearl Bryan.

WILL CARNEGIE MOVE?

Indications Point to a Scheme of That Kind.

May Abandon His Pittsburg Shops and Establish Large Works on Lake Erie.

MASSILLON, Ohio, Feb. 13—The reorganization of the Wheeling and Lake Erie railway, with A. G. Blair as president, and Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, as one of the new directors, is taken here to mean that the long contemplated plan of securing an inlet into Cleveland and Lorain will be undertaken. As the head and front of the great Johnson Steel and Iron works at Lorain, the ex congressman is in a position to be of great service to the railway, should it be considered desirable to build an extension. Another theory advanced by local railroad officials is that Tom L. Johnson's election to the directory of the Wheeling and Lake Erie points to the transfer of the Carnegie or some other iron interests from Pittsburg to Huron.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13—Wheat, Feb, 64⅜c; May, 65⅝c; June, 66⅜c; July, 66¼c.

Corn, Feb., 28½c; May, 30¼c; July, 31¼c; Sept., 32½c.

Oats, Feb., 19½c; May, 21⅛@¼c; July, 21½c.

Pork, Feb., $10 12½; May, $10 32½; July, $10.50

Lard, Feb, $5 52½; May, $5 70; July, $5 87½.

Ribs, Feb., $5 17½; May, $5 35 @5 37½; July, $5 45.

Gladstone May Re-enter Parliament.

GLASGOW, Feb. 13.—The Herald, of this city, says it learns that Mr. Gladstone is greatly inclined to stand again for parliament at the first available opportunity, in order to support the Armenians. The Herald adds that Mr. Gladstone does not conceal his conviction that both political parties in Great Britain have betrayed Armenia.

WILL ATTACK IT.

Attitude of Republicans Toward the Apportionment Act.

Will be Attacked if Governor Matthews Refuses to Call a Special Session of the Legislature.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 13.—The republican state central committee held an all day meeting here yesterday and extended its deliberations late into the night in the effort to adopt a policy in reference to the apportionment act of 1885, many of the party desiring to attack it in the courts and by having it declared unconstitutional force the governor to call the legislature in special session, while others took a contrary view and wished to have the statute remain as it is.

The latter believe that the party's chances are as good to control the legislature under the act of 1885 as they would be under another law, especially as a majority of the holdover senators are republicans. The politicians expressed their views before the committee and republican attorneys were then called in to give light on the legal aspect of the case, especially as to whether a decision could be secured before the fall election.

The lawyers said that the case could be delayed in the supreme court, and it was hardly probable that a decision could be secured in time to enable the legislature, even if the governor would call that body together, to enact a new law.

Last night the committee was again in session, and finally decided that the law should be attacked, in case the governor refused to call a special session of the legislature for the passage of a new apportionment act. There is much dissatisfaction in some quarters over the action of the committee.

KIDNAPER LOSES HIS NERVE.

Leaves His Unconscious Captive on the Roadside and Decamps.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 13.—Miss Ida Baker, living near Walton, was returning home from the house of a friend just after dark several days ago when she was overpowered by someone and forced into a buggy and driven five miles from home. There she was left on the roadside and did not regain consciousness for several hours. When she returned home and related the story and showed marks of the struggle with the kidnaper, the people were not inclined to credit her story. Her guardian, however, employed a detective and the latter has been working on the case. He has discovered that the kidnaping was planned for the purpose of forcing Miss Baker into a marriage that was distasteful to her, and that the man who was employed to seize her and convey her to the person who sought the matrimonial relation repented of his part in the affair when he failed to arouse the unconscious victim, and then placed her upon the roadside. It is claimed that the whole affair will be made public in the early arrest of the parties, who stand high in the rural community.

MRS. LEASE A PREACHER.

Will Preach the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man.

WICHITA, Kas., Feb. 13—Mary E Lease, who has nearly recovered from her recent severe illness, has decided to enter the ministry. The announcement of this new step has created great surprise here, as her life up to the present time has been given up entirely to politics. Mrs. Lease says that while hovering between life and death in Minnesota she made a vow that if her life was spared she would become a preacher of the Gospel. "My creed," said she, "is the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man." She was raised a Catholic, but a few years ago united with the Christian church, and she will preach for that denomination. Her initial sermon will be preached next Sunday morning from the pulpit of the Central church of Christians in this city. She will not abandon the lecture field.

TURN THE TABLES.

Indiana Saloonkeepers Bring Suit Against Mayor and Sheriff.

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., Feb. 13—Gilbert J. Phillips and James Whitcomb, two saloonkeepers who were prosecuted during the late liquor war in this city, today turned the tables on Mayor Enos and City Marshal Sparks and his deputy, George W. Neal, by bringing suit in the circuit court against them for $10,000 damages for false imprisonment, the grounds being that the mayor had no jurisdiction to fine them $40 for the offense charged and that the mittimus was without authority of law because the judgment upon which it was based was void. The Good Citizens' league has employed three firms of able attorneys to defend the mayor and his officers in the suits.

Indiana Inventors.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 13.—Patents have been issued to Indiana inventors as follows: John C. Coffee, Decatur, lever lifting jack; Geo. E. Hoag, Tell City, lumber drier; Philip Hofferd, Mulberry, feeder for clover hullers; Jas. B. Jarlin, Muncie, corn planter; Lemuel Middleton, Russiville, fence post; Thos. Nesom, Indianapolis, fifth wheel for vehicle; Valentine C. Rochell, Fort Wayne, lawn sprinkler; J. Schaffer, Galveston, plate or pan lifter; Mahlon Wells, Haughville, car coupling; Burt H Whiteley, Munice, apparatus for melting iron.

The Majesty Sunk.

SOUTHAMPTON, Feb. 13—While the American line steamer Paris, Captain Watkins, from New York on February 5, was docking here at 6 o'clock this morning she came into collision with the steamer Majesty, belonging to the Isle of Wight. The Majesty was sunk, but all the members of her crew were saved. Divers have commenced an inspection of the rudder of the Paris in order to ascertain if it was damaged by the collision.

THE MIDWAY.

A Pleasing Entertainment at the Princess Rink.

A Realistic Production of the Famed Midway With Its Many Novel, Unique Attractions.

People who visited the world's fair and enjoyed the peculiar sights that were to be found on the midway can see the same thing over again at the Princess rink. The Midway plaisance is reproduced there on a smaller scale but true in detail and a visitor can not help but enjoy it.

This entertainment is being given by the military companies of this city. It is under the direction of Mr. J. Allen Whyte, of Chicago, who has a full set of scenery representing the various buildings and villages. Major J. E. Miller is general manager. The participants in the entertainment are members of the military companies and a large number of gentlemen, and ladies of the city.

Booths are arranged on the two sides of the interior of the rink. In front of each is a windy fellow who cries out advertising the attractions that are to be seen within, thus reproducing another main feature of the midway, viz: the unearthly noise.

The booths and villages are all in competent hands and visits to them are entertaining.

The participants in the Midway Plaisance entertainment are as follows:

Irish Village—Mrs. Ahern, manager; Misses May Ahern, Allie Quinlan, Eva Schieffer, Tad McClure, Hannah Donohue, Messrs. Emil Erickson, Ernest Barr, J. F. Weidemeier, John W. Peckham, Charles Hauck, fiddler. The colleens are all costumed in green.

Beauty Show—F. H. Hilgeman, manager; William Walde, James Lechler, Fred Archer, George Feustel, Frank Wadsworth, Harry Alderman, Lou Lancaster.

Hagenbeck's Animal Show.—C. E. Rhoades, manager; Dick Miller, crier. The rest of the company here is composed of rare animals from the wild and wooly precincts of Centlivre's park, Bass' farm, Prairie switch and Columbia street.

New England Home.—Mrs. John W. Hayden, manager; Mrs. T. B. Empie, Mrs. M. B. Gorsline, Mrs. McKean, Mrs. Holmes, Misses Usselman, Chinworth and Snider. Uncle Sam and George Washington are also represented. Here the ladies serve excellent coffee, doughnuts and pie.

Old Vienna.—Mrs. Buchanan, manager; Misses Eva Wagner, Clara Hardung, Tena Weldon, Lizzie Lapp and Amelia Koapf; Messrs. G. E. Ibel, Ed. Shoch and Ed. Timmons.

Dahomey Village—F. C. Kehler, manager; Morgan and Zaro, acrobats; Messrs. Barr, Schane, Riley, Greenick, Potter, Heffelfinger, Spitler, Ranke and Yeley. Here is performed the war dance and other antics of the Dahomeyans.

Turkish Village—Mrs. Frank Alderman, chairman; Mrs. Geo. Crane and Mrs. Gallagher; Misses Laura Snowberger, Lillie Keag, Eva Jones and Martha Housher; Messrs. E. C. Johnson, John Anderson, Ed Tigges, Joe Gerardin and George B. Taylor. Frank and Willie Jeffrey, both small boys, do some clever acrobatic performing. This is a most interesting place. Turkish goods, pipes, etc., are sold here.

Moorish Palace—W. McLeod, manager; Misses Georgie Smith, Nina Strock, Cora Sayner, Ethel Griswold and Verne Askins; Messrs John Spanberg, Chas. Greenick, F. Arney, J. Jackson, B. McFarren, John Herrman, W. S. Beaston and Clyde Klinger. The entertainment here is novel and interesting.

Japanese Booth—Mrs. J. B. Fonner, manager; Mrs. P. G. Thompson, Misses Abbie Moore, Eliza Burnett, Sue Burnett, Emma Shoch, Jessie Neireiter, Stella Mulqueen and May Jones. The pretty Jap girls sell Japanese goods and serve tea.

Streets of Cairo—O. S. Jones, manager; Misses May Scarr, Grace Polhamus, Daisy Jarrett and Bertha Garcley; Messrs E C. Buck, W. H. Ward, Frank Alderman, G. Depner, J Greer, H. McCullom, C. Snowberger, Robert Bartell, J. Didier and B Jacobs. Here is given a true reproduction of the Bedouin Arab wedding ceremony.

German Village—Paul Hoppe, manager; Misses Susie Roehrs, E. Piepenbrink, Bertha Welten, Hulda Haberkorn, Sophia Bloch, Susie Wagner and Amelia Haberkorn, Messrs. John Koepf, Frank Reinking and R. H. Claymiller. Weinerwurst, rye bread and coffee are served by the frauleins.

Prof. Arthur Finch, the World's fair prize harmonica player, is an attraction of the entertainment.

Capt. J. B. Fonner is in the ticket office and Will Cleary and A. F. Reinking attend the door.

Music is furnished by the First Regiment band.

The Midway Plaisance is an interesting place to spend an evening.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Theo Clark, No 179 Taylor street—a son. Mr. Clark is the Broadway barber.

See Tretheway Bros.' ad this week. A $2 50 shoe for $2 75.

DISTINGUISHED VISITOR

Supreme Foreman Tate, of the A. O. U. W., Coming.

He Will be Present at an Open Meeting to be Held Next Saturday Evening.

A telegram was received by George R. Hench last evening from T. D. Neal, of Franklin, Ind., grand master workman of the A. O. U. W., of Indiana, that Supreme Foreman J. G. Tate, of Nebraska, will be in Fort Wayne Saturday. An open meeting will be held in his honor at the hall of Summit City lodge No. 36, on the corner of Calhoun and Superior streets, Saturday evening. It will be a joint meeting of lodges Nos. 19, 36 and 50. Committees are arranging for the event.

No admittance fee to this meeting will be charged and the public will be cordially welcomed.

Supreme Foreman Tate is a fluent and able speaker and as he will address the meeting, those who attend are sure of being entertained in an excellent manner. Mr. Tate has been attending the meeting of the grand lodge of Kentucky at Louisville this week and next week he will be present at the meeting of the grand lodge of Indiana, which will be held at South Bend. He is one of the most prominent A. O. U. W. men in the country.

A number of members of the Fort Wayne lodges will attend the grand lodge at South Bend next week. Among them will be the following: From No. 19: H. S. Vreeland, Dr. J. W. Younge, E. B. Smith, S. S. Scoville, and J. J. Bauer; No. 36: C. F. Haiber, O. V. Riley, G. R Hench, N. Conover, F. E. Purcell, Julius Koch; No. 50: George Ashley, James Velvick, George Mong.

Mr. Scoville is a member of the grand lodge committee on credentials. Mr. Hench now holds the position of grand overseer in the grand lodge and his friends are positive that when the election occurs he will be elevated to a still higher place.

The grand lodge opens next Tuesday and continues two days.

OYSTER SOUP

Severely Poisons C. B. Beaver and Family.

Mr. Beaver and Son, Hugh, Were Very Sick, But All are Now Out of Danger.

Charles B. Beaver and family, of Lakeside, were severely poisoned Monday evening by oysters which they ate for supper. Not long after the meal Mr. Beaver, who is still confined to his home from the effects of the accident which befell him several weeks ago, began feeling sick. He suffered severe pains in the stomach. His son, Hugh, was afflicted in the same manner.

Mrs. Beaver and son, Harry, had partaken but lightly of the oysters and they did not suffer as much as did Mr. Beaver and Hugh.

Since Monday Mr. Beaver has been quite sick and Hugh has been barely able to attend to his duties at the United States express office. No danger exists at present, however, but it was a rather serious case of poisoning for a time.

MUSICAL EVENTS

Given at the Wayne Street and Trinity M. E. Churches.

The Linden quartet, assisted by other musical talent, will give a concert tomorrow evening at the Wayne street M. E. church, for the benefit of the musical fund of the church. The program will be as follows:

Organ solo.....Mrs. Frank Stouder
Part song—"Row Little Boat".....Linden Male quartet
Reading—"Out of the Fire".....Mrs. Robert Harding
Solo—"A Summer's Night".....Mrs. Harry Ninde
Piano duet.....Misses Schrey and Hill
Song.....The Lindens
Violin solo.....Miss A. Lillian Schrader
Duet—"The Two Sailors".....Messrs. Curdes and Griffith
Reading—"The Uncut Diamond".....Dr. Schrader
Song—"Since First I Met Thee".....Mrs. Harry Ninde
Piano duet.....Misses Schrey and Hill
Song.....The Lindens
Organ solo.....Mrs. Frank Stouder

An entertainment will be given this evening at Trinity M. E. church. The following program will be rendered:

Piano solo.....Miss Lottie Racine
Recitation.....Miss Cecil Link
Duet.....Misses Jessie Bouse and Lottie Racine.
Pantomime.....Miss Grace Egleson
Solo.....Miss Mabel Racine
Recitation.....Miss Florence McMillen
Piano duet.....Misses Jennie McClelland and Lottie Racine.
Violin and piano duet.....Lola and Arthur Eckles.
Dialogue—Mrs. Grimshaw's Mistake.....By seven young ladies.
Tableaux.....The queen and her attendants

THING & CO.'S

Rubber Prices for Unclean Weather.

Misses' first quality rubbers, 14c.

Ladies' rubbers, 23c.

Men's $2 50 light-weight rubber boots, $1.98

Boys' $2 00 pure gum rubber boots, $1 49

Men's $1.25 Arctics, 98c.

Men's solid work shoes, 99c.

If you need bargains in shoes and rubbers, be at Thing & Co.'s Midwinter Clarance Sale, 32 Calhoun St. Large Red Boot.

Big Enough for a Bear.

WINCHESTER, Ind., Feb. 12.—Charles Kelley, one of the leading merchants of this city, has a dog of the English Dane breed, that is attracting much attention. The animal is only nine months old, but it measures five feet, eleven and one half inches from tip to tip, is thirty five and one-haly inches high and weighs 163 pounds, although thin in flesh. The dog is still rapidly growing, and it is said this breed of dogs do not get their growth until they are two years old.

IS INSANE.

Jared C. Strong, Ex-Superintendent of Public Schools

Will be Sent to the Asylum—Fred Beyerlein Acquitted—News in the Courts.

Justices of the Peace Bullerman and Frances and Doctors W. H. Myers and W. F. Schrader are holding an inquest in regard to the insanity of Jared C. Strong, who, during an early day, was the superintendent of the public schools of this city. Mr. Strong is seventy-seven years of age, and during the last several years has been in feeble health. He has exhibited traits of insanity for some time and lately has become so violent that his relatives had to send him to the Hope hospital. He imagines that his body and his clothes are covered with insects and that they will be converted into wreaths. Another one of his hallucinations is that he is associated with Queen Victoria in the government of Great Britain and that he frequently converses with her. He is under the impression that the queen has sent for him and that he must go to her. At such times, if he is restrained, he becomes violent and threatens to kill himself and also those about him. Yesterday he became very violent at his home, where his daughter is teaching a class of scholars, and he could not be quieted in any manner whatever. The patrol wagon was sent for and he was taken to the Hope hospital. The old gentlemen will be adjudged insane and sent to the insane asylum. He is well known and for many years has been highly esteemed by his large circle of friends.

Andrew Gardella sues Givanni Pensa in the superior court to recover $5,000 from the latter for alleniating from him the affections of his wife. Breen & Morris are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Harlin Kennedy was fined $1 and costs by Justice Bullerman for provoking Charles Vought.

Philemon Colerick and Martha Eliza Rauh, John T. Dougall and Jennie Madge Lathrop, John M. Reed and Sadie M. Warner, Herman Boedecker and Minnie Fritz, Herman Block and Clara Sturke, Herman R. Sheetz and Bertha M. DeHaven have been licensed to wed.

Fred Byerlien was acquitted of the charge of forgery in the circuit court this morning on account of a faulty affidavit. He was rearrested on another affidavit and will have a hearing tomorrow.

Louis Ganzer was acquitted of the charge of embezzlement at Montpelier yesterday. He was defended by Will Ryan, of this city.

The case of the Journal company against M. E. Burns is on trial before Judge O'Rourke and a jury in the circuit court.

THE PLAYERS

Who Will Compose the Fort Wayne Ball Team.

A Strong Club Will be Made Up—Will Play Ball in Lakeside—Grand Stand to Cost $2,000.

Manager William Meyer says the inter-state base ball league is progressing nicely and that final arrangements will be completed at the meeting to be held at Pittsburg next Saturday.

The Fort Wayne team will be a strong one. It is to be composed of a number of reserve players from the Cleveland league team and a few others outside. Those who are to come from Cleveland are George Tebeau, first baseman; Tom Delehanty and William Carrick, basemen; J. H. Swain and Frank Wilson, pitchers; Rome Gray, Harry Blake and Ed Greminger, fielders; Ed O'Meara, catcher. Ed Boland, of this city, will also be a catcher on the team. Two or three more players will be signed.

George Tibeau will be captain and manager of the Fort Wayne club.

Plans have been prepared for the grand stand. It will be a good, convenient structure, seating 1,200 people and it will cost $2,000.

It has been decided to continue the ball park in Lakeside instead of moving to Spy Run avenue.

Tuesday evening a very enjoyable surprise party was tendered Mrs. T. F. Drake at her home, No. 151 Wallace street, by her many friends in remembrance of her birthday anniversary. It was a most pleasant event. Conversation and card playing were the main features of the evening. At 10 o'clock an elaborate lunch was served. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames C. Hilton, H. Nicewonger, J. Kickley, Cour, W. Gates, G. Miller, F. J. Miller, T. Comparet, White, Laurents; Mesdames McDole, Gretzinger, Campbell, Adams, Hutchinson, Horning, Combs, Lyons; Misses. Comparet, Cour; Messrs. C. Lyons, W. E. Wass.

Mrs. A. Anderson, wife of the well known Nickel Plate conductor, died at St. Joe hospital at 1 o'clock today. She had been ailing from cancer for about two years, but had been confined to her bed for only about six weeks. She was forty years of age and leaves a husband, one daughter, Mrs. Frank Ebert, and two sons, Clarence and Bertie. Mrs. Anderson was a member of the Ladies' auxiliary to the Order of Railway Conductors.

Miss Stella Weyer, of St. Louis, is visiting the family of Dr. Moffat.

OVERLOOKED.

There Are Patent Medicines and Remedies, Without Number

For Every Disease and Affliction But One.

A prominent physician was recently asked, why it was that there are so many "blood purifiers," "nerve tonics" and remedies for every ill, except one of the most common and annoying, viz: piles. He replied, there are two principal reasons: first, physicians and people in general, have thought that the only permanent cure for piles was a surgical operation, that medicinal preparations were simply palliative. Another reason is, that piles is, in no sense of the word, an imaginary disease; the sufferer from piles is very much aware of the fact, and for this reason, the few so-called pile salves, ointments, etc., have been short lived. The patient very soon discovered their inefficiency.

He says further, "fortunately however, there is a new remedy for piles, which judging from its rapidly growing popularity will soon take the place of all other treatment; it has certainly made astonishing cures in this obstinate disease and its merit has made it famous among physicians and wherever it has been introduced. This remedy is sold by all druggists under the name of Pyramid Pile Cure.

From the *immediate* relief which the Pyramid Pile Cure gives in all forms of piles, many physicians supposed it contained opium, cocaine or some similar substance, but upon analysis it was found to be perfectly free from anything of the kind, and that the instant relief and cure which follows its use, is rather the result of its remarkable healing, soothing action on the parts affected.

The Pyramid Pile Cure is the only remedy, except a surgical operation, which immediately relieves and *permanently cures* every form of piles.

It is sold by druggists at 50 cents and $1 or by mail from Pyramid Co., Albion, Mich.

"I'se in Town, Honey!"

Pancake Flour

A combination of the three staffs of life—*Wheat, Corn and Rice.*

When your wife makes pancakes she can make them right and easily if she uses Aunt Jemima's. And when properly covered with butter and syrup there's no better breakfast dish on earth. Beware of imitation. Sold only in *red packages.*

HERE'S OUR GUARANTEE.

Buy a package of Genuine Aunt Jemima's Self-Rising Pancake Flour, and if you do not find it makes the best cakes you ever ate, return the empty box to your grocer, leave your name and the grocer will refund the money and charge it to us. Scientifically Prepared and Manufactured only by

R. T. DAVIS MILL CO., St. Joseph, Mo.

Send 4c in stamps for Life History of Aunt Jemima and a set of her Pickaninny dolls.

A. HATTERSLEY & SON,

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STEAM AND GAS FITTERS.

48 East Main Street.

Fort Wayne, Ind.

The Collapse Of Values.

Our Annual Inventory recently taken indicates an overstock in many departments.

During February we abandon all consideration of Profits and heavily determined to reduce this overstock.

Buy now for present and future necessities. You'll find it the greatest paying investment you ever made.

Look through our Children's department. Boys' High Grade Reefer Coats that sold at $5, $6 and $7, now selling at $3.98.

Former $2.50 and $3.00 Reefer Coats for boys, ages 4 to 15, now $1.85.

Cloth Leggings for boys that sold at $1.00, now 50 cents. Sizes are somewhat broken in our Overcoat department, but surprises await you here in prices. The greatest OVERCOAT PICNIC you ever enjoyed. During Febuary we will sell

$6.00 Overcoats for $3.85.
$8.00 Overcoats for $5.85.
$10.00 Overcoats for $6.85.
$12.00 Overcoats for $8.85.
$15.00 Overcoats for $10.85.
$18.00 Overcoats for $11.85.
$25.00 Overcoats for $16.85.

Men's Furnishings.

We are particularly overstocked here and during this month shall unload if phenomenally low prices will be an inducement to buy new and seasonable merchandise at 30 per cent. less than actual values.

50-Cent Lined Working Gloves now 25 cents.
50-Cent Jersey Knit Gloves now 25 cents.
50 and 75-Cent Underwear now 38 cents.
$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 Underwear now 74 cents.

Anticipate Your Wants. - - - Buy Now.

Columbus clock coupons for the amount of your purchase given during this sale.

Lehman's U.S.

34 and 36 Calhoun Street.

Foellinger Block.

We close at 6 p. m., Saturdays excepted.

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BY E. A. M BACKETT.

THURSDAY, FEB 13, 1896

TONIGHT.

MIDWAY PLAISANCE—Production of the World's Fair Street by the Fort Wayne Military Companies at Princess Rink.
EMPIRE THEATRE—The Howard Wall Comedy Company in "The Midnight Alarm."
CALVARY U. B. CHURCH—Revival meetings.
SONS OF FREEDOM—At K. of L. Hall.
FORD ZOUAVES—Regular Drill.
THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY—Social at the hall on West Berry street.
OCCULT SCIENCE SOCIETY—Regular Meeting at A. O. U. W. Hall on Court Street.
ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS—Division No. 1.
LODGES—Summit City Lodge No. 36, A. O. U. W.; Harmony Lodge, No. 19, I. O. O. F.; Wayne Tent No. 54, K. O. T. M.; Liberty Council, Knights of Columbus; Columbian Council No. 3, Order of Chosen Friends; Order of Pericleans; Union Veteran Legion; Ladies' Aid Society, Auxiliary to Col. E. S. Walker Camp, S. of V.

THE leap year business has begun in earnest—a Nebraska man is suing a young woman for breach of promise.

MEXICO will confer an everlasting favor on civilization if she stops that Maher-Fitzsimmons prize fight tomorrow.

ONE woman in a town near Bangor, Me., is being laughed at because she recently went into a drug store and asked for some of that "Monroe doctorin."

THE setting apart of a day at the meeting of the American Wheelmen's league at Baltimore for the discussion of the good roads question was one of the many "signs of the times" which point to the general improvement of public highways all over the United States.

WE are told that "176 Armenian towns have been blotted out by the Turks." Many of these were flourishing manufacturing towns, the most prosperous in the empire. As one of the objects was loot or spoils, the Turks have had a rich treat. If arrangements are not made to wipe the Turks off the map there will be no justice done.

WITH last night's and today's fall of snow covering the ground, it is probably out of place to talk about the approach of spring, but spring is coming, nevertheless, pretty rapidly. It will be here in a little over a month, and with its coming the board of health ought to be prepared to push a thorough cleaning of the alleys and other places where the filth of the winter months accummulates. The city should be placed in a first-class sanitary condition. Precautions of these kinds guard us against the diseases that filth always breeds.

GOVERNOR McKINLEY was given a great boom as a republican presidential candidate at Chicago last night by the banquet given by the Marquette club at the Auditorium, in commemoration of the birth of Abraham Lincoln. Major McKinley was the guest of honor and he responded to the toast "Abraham Lincoln." His speech was a masterpiece of oratory, as his efforts always are, and he was cheered to the echo by his 1,500 admiring, enthusiastic friends present. The Lincoln celebration at Chicago was made a McKinley demonstration and the favorite republican son of Ohio got out of the affair one of the biggest booms as a presidential candidate that he has had since the new year began.

THE legislative muddle in Kentucky regarding the choosing of a senator, which is but a repitition of many similar senatorial muddles that have occurred during the last few years, ought to be an argument in favor of the election of United States senators by popular vote. The bill of Senator Turpie to make this the constitutional method of selecting senators would solve this problem of deadlocks, and, after all, would probably be the best way. The people ought to vote directly for United States senators just as they do for congressmen.

THE anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, our first martyred president, was celebrated in many of our cities yesterday and enconiums of his worth as a citizen and his services to his country in its greatest hour of need were paid to his immortal name. The country does well to cherish the memory of Lincoln. No American since Washington has had such a gigantic work to do as that done by Lincoln The existence of the United States today is the best possible tribute to him. He saved the union, and he helped to make it worth saving. In honoring Lincoln we do no injustice to Washington and other great and good men in the history of this nation. We love them all. We cherish their memory and we will honor them for what they have done for the principles of liberty and the welfare of the people of the United States.

TOMORROW will be Valentine day, and here in Fort Wayne the day will not be passed unobserved by the young folks, and many of the old folks also. It is a day for the sending of missives, some sweet and some awful cruel, and the mail carriers and the postoffice clerks will be kept busy. The day is looked forward to with dread by the postoffice people and the mail carriers, as it means a flood of letters and a hard day's work. It is not definitely known what particular Saint Valentine is thus honored on the 14th of February. As usual, there is a disagreement among the wise heads on the subject and it has been converted into such a scientific muddle of conflicting saints and dates that the question will never be solved. It is, however, of great antiquity and the present practice of sending out cards on this day is but a corruption of the practice in vogue among the ancient Romans.

The Queen Not for War.

The speech of the queen, delivered in the opening of the English parliament, which was published in THE SENTINEL, opening with the general declaration that "I continue to receive from other powers assurances of their friendly sentiments," evades, as far as possible, any pressing international issues, or refers to them only in the most cautious terms. It is necessary to take this evasive tone into consideration to appreciate the paragraph relating to the United States, which follows immediately upon the statement of the boundary agreement with Russia, and is more distinct than any of the paragraphs that follow it:

"The government of the United States of America have expressed a wish to co-operate in the termination of the differences which have existed for many years between my government and the republic of Venezuela upon the question of the boundary between that country and the colony of British Guiana. I have expressed sympathy with the desire to come to an equitable arrangement and I trust that further negotiations will lead to a satisfactory settlement.

It will be observed that while this is sufficiently indefinite, it has at least a negative significance of very decided character. It entirely ignores any misunderstanding with the United States, and treats the later Olney-Salisbury correspondence as though it had not been. The desire of the United States to co operate in the termination of the differences with Venezuela is acknowledged, not only without expressed dissent, but with an apparent expression of sympathy, and with the expectation "that further negotiations will lead to a satisfactory settlement."

This is very different from the tone of hostile resentment at our unwarranted interference that the New England college professors and other alarmed Anglo-Americans must have been expecting. It is really quite distressing that all these good people should have wasted so much good sympathy upon the queen and Lord Salisbury and so much reproof upon the president and Mr. Olney, only to find that the queen is not insulted after all, and has not taken the president's message as a menace.

The inference from this is that the adjustment of the Venezuela dispute had best be left to the responsible executive representatives of the governments concerned. They have had all the rhetorical assistance they can possibly need, and the desire of reaching the adjustment mutually satisfactory and honorable will certainly not be promoted by any more fool talk whether in congress or parliament, in the newspapers or at public meetings. The position of this country is sufficiently well understood by the English government, and the polite and pacific tone of this official deliverance is entitled to respectful acknowledgement.

The original and proper name for the Transvaal is the South African Republic. But when the Boers settled there they went beyond the Vaal river, and so they were said to be in the Transvaal, or across the Vaal. Gradually their country came to be known more widely as the Transvaal than as the South African Republic, and Transvaal it will probably remain.

ONLY RUN DOWN.

Many People Complain of Being Out of Order.

By No Means Sick, But They Don't Feel Just Right.

Are Weak, Nervous, Tire Easily and Work is an Effort.

There are numberless people who do not call themselves sick, and yet who feel weak, nervous, languid or tired; they have lost their vim, power of endurance and ambition to work. They feel miserable, not because they are actually sick, but because they are not well.

People complain that they are weak, nervous, tired and exhausted; that they have a poor or variable appetite, no strength, no nerve; they become irritable, cross, blue and discouraged. In some cases there are pains and aches in various parts of the body, and there is often indigestion, dyspepsia, belching of wind, dull, cloudy head, and general dispirited feeling. Sleepless, restless, wakeful nights follow. The brain tires easily and there may be a tendency to drowsiness during the day. Neglect of these symptoms results in excessive nervous prostration of paralysis, with numbness, trembling, cold feet and legs, prickling sensation and weakness and weariness of the limbs.

MISS BERTHA A. ELMER.

Look to the symptoms in time, nervous sufferers, to avert the dread results. Do as did Miss Bertha A. Elmer, of Etna, N. H., who says:

"About two years ago last fall I was obliged to leave off work on account of ill health. The doctor told me I had overworked. I suffered from severe headaches and grew so poor and pale that people told me if my eyes were closed they would believe me dead.

"My nerves seemed all unstrung. I suffered in this way all winter and there was nothing that seemed to help me. At last my mother persuaded me to try Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. I took one bottle and that helped me and I decided to try another. I took three bottles in all, after which I was as well, or even better than I had ever been before.

"Please publish this testimonial if it would be likely to help others, for I feel sure Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy saved my life."

Remember that this marvelous medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, will make you strong and well; that it is the discovery of the successful specialist in nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th St., New York City, who can always be consulted without charge, personally or by letter, in regard to the action of the medicine. Try it; you will not regret it.

STATE NEWS.

Benjamin Kelly, twenty-six years old, of Connersville, was found dead in bed.

The four-year old daughter of James Malott, of Onward, was roasted to death by falling on a hot stove.

The warden's residence at the prison south has been overhauled by the idle convicts, and is now a handsome and well appointed place.

William Hoover, engineer, near Warren, permitted the water to run too low in his boiler, and there was an explosion which scalded him to death.

During religious services in what is known as the White House church, at Fairmount, the congregation, which is undenominational, Palmer Morgan, over-excited with religious frenzy, suddenly died.

In the circuit court at Winamac, the administrator of the estate of Theodore Hancock, who was killed in the streets of Winamac by the Panhandle "Flyer," has taken judgment against the railroad company for $4,000 damages.

Julian C. Wentworth, editor and publisher of the Royal Center Record, issued an apology to his patrons because of his intoxicated habits and pledged reform. Then he continued to dissipate, and finally disappeared. Ernest Thomas and John Ray, of Royal Center, creditors for $450, will take charge of the paper.

Mrs. James Endwhistle and Miss Ella Evans, near Rockville, while attempting to ford Raccoon creek, were carried down by the flood and their horse drowned. The buggy caught on a log and was partially submerged, and in this position they remained for five hours before being rescued. Both were unconscious when found.

Judgment against the defendants was entered yesterday at Crown Point against thirteen of the Hammond saloonkeepers, arrested for violating the law, no defense being made. A continuance was then granted until the supreme court passes upon the Nicholson law, the fines to be paid in case the law is held to be constitutional.

A business man of Kokomo addressed a letter to J. Frank Hanley, Washington, D. C., but forgot to place upon the envelope "M. C.," indicating that Mr. Hanley was a member of congress. Yesterday the postoffice authorities notified the Kokomo gentleman that no such man as J. Frank Hanley was known in Washington and asking for a more specific address.

A VALENTINE PARTY.

Some Novel Ideas That Will Prove Entertaining.

If you are going to have a valentine party, here are a few hints which may enliven the evening: You can go in for decorations as deeply as you choose and find plenty of appropriate symbols that will suggest the sentiment of the holiday. A flying Cupid with bandaged eyes may be suspended from the chandelier.

Roses of deep red, love's own color, may be distributed around as freely as you choose or as your purse will allow. Drape the mantel with smilax, caught up with red ribbons tied in true lovers' knots. Pasteboard hearts pierced by gilt arrows can be bought or manufactured at home, and form most attractive decorations. A pair or two of turtle doves should not be forgotten, for they add much to the general effect.

In pairing off your guests for the evening you can manage to have a lot of fun. One method which is sure to put every one in good humor and break down all the barriers of formality is as follows:

Hang a sheet in a doorway between two rooms. With charcoal or ink draw a grotesque face on one side and cut holes for eyes. Let the ladies go into the room behind the curtain while the gentlemen remain in the other. Then let the ladies each stand behind the face on the curtain and look through the apertures. The men are then allowed each a chance of guessing who is the owner of the eyes which are peering through at them. The guessers whisper the name to the unknown fair one, and if it is right, she retires and he has found his partner for the game of hearts which follows. If not, the lady winks saucily, and he must try his luck another time. Underneath the face you may write something like this:

I'm looking at you, love,
With eyes that are true, love.
If you guess these eyes are mine,
I will be your Valentine.

Another novel way of mating your guests is to get as many card valentines as you have guests. Have them in duplicate pairs, and put each in an envelope, one of a pair in an envelope for a gentleman, the other in one for a lady. As the guests arrive hand each an envelope and let them find the person who has the duplicate.

ST. VALENTINE.

He Was Gentle, Charitable and Good, but He Was Beheaded.

The earliest authorities say that St. Valentine was a bishop, gentle, charitable and benignant, whose tongue was marvelously persuasive in convincing the benighted pagans of the errors of their ways. He labored hard and earnestly in his good work, but, alas, his zeal did not suit the pleasure of the authorities, and after being cruelly beaten with clubs he was beheaded. This happened in the reign of Marcus Aurelius Claudius, on the 14th day of February, somewhere about the year 270, but after his abrupt taking off the canonization of the good bishop followed, and his name has been a household word ever since. It is a singular circumstance that the new saint took the disease of epilepsy under his peculiar patronage during the first of his saintly career, while now it would appear that his jurisdiction confines itself exclusively to the domain of the heart.

How did the good saint become responsible for the flood of tender sentiment which is annually poured forth under shelter of his venerable name? A few only of the reasons will be given. One of the simplest explanations was that the birds selected their mates on Feb. 14. This theory was popular for some time until a heartless naturalist knocked it into smithereens by proving that, as a matrimonial season, birds didn't care any more for the 14th than for the 13th or 15th.

Another reason assigned was that St. Valentine, being a man of love and charity, it was natural to suppose he would patronize these virtues. Perhaps the best solution is the following: With the dawning of the Christian era pagan rites, pagan ceremonies and pagan feasts began to disappear. Some of the feasts, however, were merged into Christian holidays. The festival of the Lupercalia was the one on which the Romans did honor to Pan and Juno, not only with the banquet, the dance and the drama, but by a peculiar ceremony in which the young men drew from a box of billets, each inscribed with maidens' names, each bachelor devoting himself for 12 months to the lady falling to his lot. In the natural order of events the Lupercalia became St. Valentine's day, and the drawing of billets was so agreeable a custom that the youthful blood rebelled against the annihilation. It was therefore permitted to continue and from that time to this, with more or less variation to suit the times and the people, St. Valentine and Cupid have been on very intimate terms of relationship.

From Far Brazil.

The custom of sending valentines is confined to no one country, but obtains in some shape nearly the world over. Deep in the heart of Brazil, where one would think the day had no fame at all, lies a large convent. It stands in a land of cloudless skies, gorgeous birds and beautiful flowers. The feathers of the birds and the leaves of the flowers are so mingled by the deft fingers of the nuns who inhabit the convent that they are in great demand for valentines in England and other countries. They find their way, with valentines made from the delicate moss from the bottom of the Mediterranean sea, to the fashionable bookshops of London, where on the 14th of February, they pass to the parlors of the beauties of the season.

More than one young girl has opened on the auspicious day a box covered with postage stamps to find therein a real South American humming bird, holding in its tiny beak a billet inscribed with the sentiments of the day. These unique valentines are costly and of surpassing beauty, and the nuns of the Brazilian convent put many a penny into the urn of charity by their delicate ingenuity.

It Often Ended Happily.

In the last century, on the eve of St. Valentine's day, the young folks in England and Scotland celebrated the festival. An equal number of maids and bachelors came together, and each wrote his or her name upon a separate billet, which was rolled up and placed in a box. Then the females drew by lot from the males' names and the latter from the names of the females. After this the valentines, as the chosen ones were called, gave parties to their friends, each valentine wearing the billet on his or her sleeve for several days. This little sport often ended in an engagement of marriage.

A Lawyer's Valentine.

I'm notified, fair neighbor mine,
By one of our profession
That this the term of Valentine
Is Cupid's special session.
Permit me, therefore, to report
Myself on this occasion
Quite ready to proceed to court
And file my declaration.
—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Poster Parties.

The most enjoyable outgrowth of the poster fad is the poster party. In issuing the invitations the hostess requests each woman to come in the costume of the figure on the poster of a certain newspaper or magazine that she names, being careful to have no two alike. The men she requests to represent well known newspaper men. — New York Sun.

Recoil.

The minstrel sang of deeds full bold
To cheer the chieftain's feast along,
Till stout hearts grew the stouter there
And gained new ardor from his song.

His cry of battle stirred the heart
And set the blood to quicker flow;
His shout of triumph thrilled a chord
That none but fiercest victors know.

Right well he sang, until he chanced
To note the faces at the feast.
The spirit he had roused he feared—
He faltered, dropped his harp and ceased.
—T. S. V. in Detroit News.

The New Way.

In the slang of the day, no young woman says, "I will be a sister to you," but "I'll give you the glad hand and the marble heart."—Brooklyn Life.

ARE YOU POSITIVE?

Are You Absolutely Sure and Without a Shadow of a Doubt?

Are you sure that your kidneys are perfectly healthy?

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A PAIR OF RASCALS.

TWO MEN WHO ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR LOTS OF WOE.

The Artist Who Draws the Pictures on the Comic Valentines and the Harvard Graduate Who Writes the Poetry—Millions of Penny Vilifiers.

Two men are responsible for the entire crop of comic valentines which spread bitterness and woe throughout our fair land once a year at just about this time. One of them is a Harvard graduate. He perpetrates the verse. The other is an artist who learned to wield his brush with a far nobler aim in view.

It is well that there are two of them, for they divide the awful responsibility. The poet's name is Edward Rigney. The artist is one Edgars. They both live in Brooklyn. A New York man might think that was punishment enough for them. Let us hope that the recording angel will think so, too, for they have a lot to answer for.

Let us just do a little figuring on the subject. There are 20,000,000 "comics" printed and circulated every year. Suppose only 15,000,000 of these are purchased and sent. If only two-thirds of the victims relieved their lacerated feelings by the use of profanity—we will say that the other 5,000,000 are women and professing Christians—that would leave 10,000,000 who would fracture the second commandment. Each man would, we will say, use on an average of five bad words, some beginning with a big D and others best represented by dashes, thus — —. That would give a total of 50,000,000 profane words.

Now these two men have been at this business for about 15 years, and if the wrath of the people or the hand of Providence does not strike them down they may continue in their evil doing for 10 years more, a total of 25 years. Thus in 25 years they will have been the indirect producers of 1,250,000,000 profane words, or enough to make 10,000 good sized volumes.

What an awful responsibility to contemplate!

But these men don't look at it in that way. They seem to think that the enjoyment of good salaries in this life is of far more importance than a bright hereafter.

Both of them perhaps hope that their work on sentimental lines will offset the other. Mr. Edgars not only draws the hideous faces of the "comics," but he is an adept in painting pink Cupids, red hearts—always arrow pierced—and dainty forget-menots, lilies of the valley and other floral decorations.

THE SCORCHER—BOUND TO BE POPULAR.

Artist Edgars is a man of about 30, but for 14 years he has been doing this sort of work. Consequently he has attained a wonderful dexterity with the brush. He can take a plain piece of cardboard or celluloid, and with a few dabs of his brush make it blossom like a fairy garden. He takes a dainty satin covered card, spreads the colors around on it recklessly for a minute, and, behold! he has produced something to delight the heart of some pretty maiden.

In some respects Mr. Edgars is to be envied. He has more facilities for "getting even" than any other man on earth. When the average man is insulted by an insolent street car conductor, snubbed by a saucy dry goods clerk or imposed upon by a butcher, baker or candlestick maker, he can only address a little fleeting, evanescent profanity at the individual offender.

Not so Mr. Edgars. He just keeps quiet, smiles in a bland, self satisfied way, goes to his den and draws a picture of the man or woman, and has a few hundred thousand of them struck off. Thus does he wreak his vengeance not on one person alone, but on all of that kidney. If he is angry, he can, by a few strokes of his brush, insult about 500,000 total strangers. What czar or sultan could do more?

And Mr. Rigney helps him out. He takes the nightmare sketches and writes verses for them—verses which tip the arrow with gall and wormwood, which make the victim rant and tear and say things.

But there is a compensating side to all this. There are 70,000,000 souls of us in Uncle Sam's domain, and we probably all know at least half a dozen persons on whom we would like to inflict a comic. But we don't. No, only about 20,000,000 of us indulge in this sort of thing, and there is a whole lot of comfort for the humanitarians in that.

Then there are lots of people who send comics, not out of pure malice, but because they think it is funny. It may be—to the sender.

Ever since last Valentine's day the artist and the poet have been at work on this year's vintage. Each season offers new subjects for their satirical pen and brush.

Bicycle riders, of course, have come in for a good share of their attention. There is the bloomer girl. Oh, how she does catch it! Now neither of the two men who make the valentines has anything personal against the bloomer girl. They have said so. But business is business. The manufacturers knew that there would be a big demand for this style of cheap valentine. So they went to work on the poor bloomer girl and pictured her in all sorts of outrageous styles and in all degrees of exaggerated hideousness. Poor bloomer girl! May her sensitive nature be steeled against these envious darts.

The male bicyclist gets it, too, from the scorcher to the knickerbockered spindle-shanks. One of the new comics represents the scorcher as a death's head and skeleton riding a wheel and slaughtering the innocents who cross his path.

THE OLD MAID—ALWAYS SELLS WELL.

"It has become almost mechanical," he said to the interviewer. "The designs I use do not vary much. It is impossible, of course, to get anything new. I use a camel's hair brush and water colors. Then you know how a very few strokes will finish up a valentine."

The new woman also has her share of woe in store for her. A score of freshly designed comics which have been reproduced almost by the ton lie in wait for her on the valentine venders' counters, and on Feb. 14 the whole machinery of the United States mail service is put at the disposal of those who wish to send them. All the eccentricities of up to date fashion are seized upon and exaggerated by the comics and made to serve the purpose of the anonymous vilifier.

Then there are the scores of people whom the valentine man has for years regarded as old standbys. They will not be forgotten. The old maid, the dude, the policeman, the loafer, the iceman, the plumber, all will have their pet foibles and weaknesses held up to them in distorted fashion like the image in an imperfect mirror.

CYRUS SYLVESTER.

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.

How It Used to Be Celebrated and How It Is Now.

When we were children, St. Valentine's day ranked with Christmas and Fourth of July in much anticipated pleasure and in the simple delights that were attendant upon the coming of the lovers' saint. The little girl who did not have at least a half dozen valentines to show was considered very unpopular indeed, and so strong was this feeling that parents, fearing lest the youths of the neighborhood might not be blessed with sufficient money to favor every little girl and knowing what a disappointment the absence of the postman's knock would mean to their small daughters, would prowl out the night before and buy up paper hearts and gay little Cupids presiding over verses that breathed of love and darts rhyming with dove and hearts.

The elder ones regarded the sentimental side of the affair only and did not mind if but one missive were received, provided it was from the one, a fact which was generally speedily discovered, despite the disguised handwriting and other mysteries attached to the delivery of it. Today the hideously ugly penny dreadfuls and the paper stage scenes have given place to more substantial offerings, and the day is celebrated in quite a different manner.

Now large and beautiful boxes, filled with bonbons and tied with ribbon on which some sentiment appropriate to the day is painted, are the gifts generally exchanged. A candy Cupid presiding over a bouquet of lovely blossoms, or sprays of flowers tumbling in artistic disorder from a silver or gold heart or a quiver and arrows of tiny buds, are all the up to date gifts of the modern valentine.

In the country the lads and lasses used to hang baskets of early spring blossoms on each other's doorbells, or if winter had lingered until the day of the mating of birds paper flowers were substituted. Today they give a valentine, luncheon or party, and the tables take the shape of hearts, the candle shades become opening roses, and a little pink Cupid bearing its own valentine is the souvenir for the guests.

The simpler forms of entertaining and celebrating on every occasion have given way to the more extravagant and the more artistic modes, and in nothing is this more noticeable than in the evolution of the valentine and the gayeties that mark the day of which it is the leading feature.

FOUND BY CHANCE.

A Convict Is the Heir to a Large Fortune In Ohio.

A burglar serving two years in the penitentiary at Columbus, O., has fallen heir to a fortune of $50,000, which now awaits him on the outside. The lucky convict is Moses McKeown of Belmont county. McKeown's grandfather, a resident of Belmont county, died recently, leaving a large estate. He was desirous of finding his grandson, but the latter's whereabouts were unknown to him.

He provided in his will that the estate should go to the grandson when his whereabouts should be ascertained. The grandson, who is the convict, has been a wanderer for years. His checkered career would make many chapters rivaling fiction, but he has managed to keep his relatives in ignorance of his misdeeds. The other day, while the convict was toiling with the striped army of lawbreakers, he was called upon by a citizen of Belmont county, who happened to pass a cell labeled "McKeown," and instituted inquiries. The fortunate convict was almost overpowered by the news of the bequest from his grandfather. He declares that when released at the expiration of his sentence he will bury the past and become an honorable citizen.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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BENNETT,

Calhoun, Between Main and Columbia Streets.

department were unable to work today on account of the inclemency of the weather.

Daniel Quinn and G. Squires, of the Bass blacksmith shop, have recovered from the grip and are working again.

Bookkeeper Bert Evans, of Rhinesmith & Simonson's office, has returned from a business trip to Hartford City.

Anthony Arnold, late of the Bass works, has taken a position in the electric works, under foreman Percy B. Bosworth.

Adolph Wichman and Joseph Doyle, machinists at the Bass works, are visiting friends in Toledo during the dull season in the shop.

James H. Hanley is back at his desk in Foreman T. J. Rodabaugh's office, after an absence to attend the wedding of his sister.

James Beason, who was off duty a few days attending to private affairs, resumed his place in the Pittsburg boiler shop this morning.

Louis Smith, janitor at the cabinet department of the Pittsburg shops, is suffering with a lame hand, which incapacitates him for work.

E. L. Littot and Charles Rodenbeck, of the Pittsburg boiler shop, laid off today to attend the funeral of their old friend, the late Mr. Stark.

Engineer "Sandy" Heliker, of the Pennsylvania's passenger service, was taken quite sick in Chicago yesterday and was unable to bring his train down

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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provement and the prospects for his recovery are now considered good.

In January there passed through Harrisburg, over the Pennsylvania lines, 128,836 cars, 72,463 being loaded.

George Quidor, the well known Nickel Plate engineer, is now living on West Washington street. He laid off yesterday to aid in moving.

The Lake Shore, when it gets its order for 2,100 new cars filled, which will be within ninety days, will have in service 20,000 cars of its own.

President Ripley, of the Santa Fe, says that before he gets through with his retrenchment policy he will work a saving on this mammoth property of $1,000,000 a year.

According to the report of the railway commission of Kansas, only two roads in that state paid dividends in 1895, and thirteen out of twenty-four were in the hands of receivers.

The Panhandle has made a reduction in the working force all along its lines, dropping employes at all depots, freight yards and on the sections, wherever it was possible to spare them.

John W. Loud, who has been traffic manager of the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee since 1889, has been appointed general freight agent of the Grand Trunk, with headquarters at Montreal.

Brakemen C. Vardeman and W. P. Dean are taking a few days' rest. R. C. Reaser and W. D. Kein, also brakemen, are working again after a few days' absence. All are Nickel Plate employes.

William Davis, president of the San Antonio and Gulf Shore, has resigned and will turn his attention to building a line from San Antonio east, which will shorten the distance between New York and San Antonio, by states, 200 miles.

Nickel Plate engines 153 and 158 came down from the Stony Island shops today and will be put into service, the former on the Third and the latter on the Fourth districts. Both engines have been rebuilt throughout and are practically new.

A man named J. T. Guthrie, whose home was at Reed City, Mich, died on Wabash passenger train No. 44 Tuesday evening between Logansport and Peru. He was a cooper by trade and for the past several weeks had been in Missouri buying material. At Popular Bluffs he took seriously ill, but insisted on starting home and he died en route, as stated above.

Charles Shearer, one of the Hobart trio who was arreated for robbing freight cars on the Nickel Plate road several months ago, was sentenced by Judge Gillett to one year in the penitentiary. Peter Schler, of Porter county, and Peter Collins, of Hobart, the other two members, will have their hearing next week. Detective Thomas Wilkinson made the arrests.

In the suit of Johnson against the Iron Mountain Railroad company for $15,000 damages for breach of contract and blacklisting, the jury at Memphis yesterday, returned a verdict awarding the plaintiff $1,135 damages. This suit was brought by a discharged engineer. It was based on an agreement between the railroad company and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Messrs. Wolf and Thompson, of the electric works, and Tellman, of the Bass foundry, are now members of the A. O. U. W., having been initiated in Fort Wayne lodge, No. 19, last night. Eleven new applications were read at the meeting last night, which added to those received the previous meeting, makes thirty-two applicants who are awaiting admittance to the order.

The railroad department Y. M. C. A. is very much encouraged by the addition of some thirty-five new members since January 1, and the prospect for many more in the near future. The railroad boys appreciate the homelike accommodations provided by this department. The very easy terms, without any "red tape" attachments, make it possible for all railway and shop employes to become members. As a desire was expressed by some for the new game of caroms, two boards have been purchased and are in constant demand in the game room.

The Indianapolis Journal says: "The Big Four, the Lake Shore and the New York Central have under contemplation making solid trains entire of the Knickerbocker express and the Southwestern limited between St. Louis and New York, painting the trains of one color and lettering them with the above titles, and the understanding is that the time between St. Louis and New York will be still further shortened with the taking effect of the spring time table, at which time the through sleeping car between Indianapolis and New York will be restored."

Denny McCarthy is one of the most methodical and careful engineers on the Nickel Plate and many are the devices and schemes he has gotten up to aid him in taking his train through on time. One was to place a stake at the water plug at Valparaiso to show him just where to stop the engine when he wished to take water. A few days ago, when bringing No. 4 down from Chicago, Denny stopped at the stake as usual. "Back up," shouted the fireman. "I won't do it," said Denny. "The engine's all right, hustle in the water." "Can't do it; you are fifty feet from the spout," replied the fireman. Denny made an investigation and found that some one had moved the peg. He blames Mike McCarthy for it and is laying for him with a club.

BRAKEMAN INJURED.

C. T. Wright, a Wabash brakeman, lost the index finger of his left hand and had the thumb crushed while coupling cars at New Haven last evening. The unfortunate man is a son of Conductor Ed. Wright and lives with his parents at Andrews. He is a member of Conductor Cole's train crew.

PASTOR AT FOURTEEN

REV. HENRY VAN COTT BANTA A CHILD WHEN CALLED TO PREACH.

Has Been Two Years a Clergyman—Called to Take Charge of a Church by the People of Shallotte, N. C.—Now Visiting In Brooklyn.

The Rev. Henry Van Cott Banta, aged 16, is a full fledged, ordained minister of the southern conference of the Methodist Episcopal church. He is the pastor of a church in Shallotte, N. C. He was raised in Brooklyn—that is, he has lived there more years than he has lived anywhere else.

The Rev. Henry Van Cott Banta is a frail youth. He appears to be not more than 12 years old. He is hollow chested, with a pale complexion. His eyes are a light blue, his mouth small, his lips very red. He has a thoughtful brow, and he parts his hair far on one side. Just now the boy pastor is visiting his parents in Brooklyn.

When you first meet the Rev. Van Cott Banta, he approaches you with an air of great dignity. He holds his head slightly on one side. He smiles in an encouraging way. He has the ecclesiastical handshake, which consists in grasping a hand firmly and pressing it without moving it up or down.

The boy pastor's father, John W. Banta, was a Methodist preacher who has retired and is now engaged in literary work in the Bible house in this city. Occasionally he goes on an exhorting trip. The Rev. Henry was born in Kingston, Ont. His parents took him to Brooklyn when he was a baby, so he calls himself a Brooklyn boy. When the boy pastor was a little chap, his brother let him fall, injuring his left knee so that he will be lame all his life. A part of the time he is compelled to use crutches. He underwent an operation in the Seney hospital a few years ago.

About two years ago his father started on an evangelizing tour through Ohio, and as Henry was in delicate health, it was decided that he should go along. In Ohio the elder Banta joined a western evangelist named Hygema, and the three traveled, like gypsies, in a big covered wagon, holding forth wherever they could get an audience. The small and delicate Henry was converted in a small town in Ohio.

His father and the other evangelist decided to make an attack on the moonshiners in the Blue Ridge mountains. At this point the young pastor says: "It was in a log cabin in the trackless pine forests of North Carolina that I preached my first sermon. The cabin was owned by a man named Gainey, who claimed to be 114 years old."

When the peregrinating preachers reached Shallotte, N. C., which is about 40 miles south of Wilmington, the boy preacher met with remarkable success. The congregation of the church at that time was troubled with a pastor who was accused of being too varied in his affections. They liked Henry so well that they invited the frail, pale boy to become their pastor, and he accepted. He has been in charge for two years. They have given him a parsonage and a horse and wagon. He is known for miles around as a powerful exhorter. He was ordained in the church where he preaches, and was regularly admitted to the southern conference.—New York World.

A PUZZLED ENGLISHMAN.

Asks Questions on Several Questions Interesting to Many Readers.

We are bitterly complaining of foreign papers and persons on account of their criticisms and reproaches, but it surely must be difficult for foreigners to understand us. We neglect to stop the preparations for a criminal raid by our own people, and then run after the raiders with a message to return, only just in time to save ourselves from the charge of complicity, and we extol the sender of the message apparently for being too late. We repudiate the raiders, and then sharply resent any offers of congratulations to those who succeeded in stopping them. We more than half treat the raiders' cause as our own, publish in the leading journal our poet laureate's hysterical and rowdy praise of them, and generally go on the bounce against "the enemy," and insult the people our own men have so grievously wronged. No wonder the foreigner finds it difficult. I find it difficult myself, and tens of thousands of people in England are finding it specially difficult to understand why Mr. Chamberlain should be so lavishly praised for being so dangerously late.—J. Page Hopps in London Daily News.

LETTER CHAIN.

By Which Christian Women Hope to Erect a Church.

The Christian church ladies of Anderson, Ind., have started a letter chain, the purpose being the erection of a new church in that city. The matter is in the hands of a committee that has opened a complete set of books to keep track of the chain. The Catholic ladies recently put this method into effect to realize money for their hospital in this city, and it succeeded very well, giving a very good income.

The new church that is proposed by the Christian people is to cost about $40,000 all told, and they expect to raise a good part of it in this manner. They will rely almost entirely upon their own people in different Indiana cities to carry the thing along.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Peace In a Great City.

I should say that yesterday was one of the most peaceful days that has been passed by society this winter.

After a careful perusal of the papers I didn't see that one single person had sued any one else for divorce, that any one had been robbed of silver or diamonds or that the Belmont-Vanderbilt crowd had done anything to warrant any more publicity.—Cholly Knickerbocker in New York Recorder.

REED ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

The Publication of His Views Hailed With Delight by Many Women.

The publication recently of Speaker Reed's woman suffrage views has caused no end of comment, and the distinguished subject of the publication has received fervid letters of congratulation and devoted allegiance from all sections of the country. He has been greeted by a swarming delegation of enthusiastic woman suffragists at all hours during the past few days. There have been so many of them in Washington that this is not surprising. They have called at his hotel early in the morning and late at night. They have besieged the speaker's room at the capitol until the frightened speaker has had to hide himself and his secretary in the cavernous depths under the terrace. If this army of congratulation continues, it will soon grow into marching delegations with bands and banners.

While there is no reason to believe that Mr. Reed has experienced any change of faith there is reason to believe that he does not look with favor upon the publication of his views at this time. When the reporter sought some new expression of opinion from him, he promptly declined to discuss the matter any further. He did seem to resent the imputation that he had experienced any change of mind because of the time elapsed or because of any political ambition which he may have.

There has been so much commendation and so little condemnation of the views from the speaker's political friends and allies that a renewed and more affirmative expression of the same view may soon be looked for. This will make the matter a more burning campaign issue than ever, and before the campaign is over voters may expect to see large delegations of ambitious women bearing campaign banners in favor of "Tom Reed, the working girl's friend."—Washington Post.

Permit one to indulge a trembling hope that we shall never hear "The Bells of Shandon" or "Curfew Must Not Ring Tonight" recited by either professional or amateur elocutionists again in the course of our natural lives. Give us a rest.

Knights of the Maccabees.

The state commander writes us from Lincoln, Neb., as follows: "After trying other medicines for what seemed to be a very obstinate cough in our two children, we tried Dr. King's New Discovery and at the end of two days the cough entirely left them. We wil not be without it hereafter, as our experience proves that it cures where all other remedies fail."—Signed, F. W. Stevens, State Com.—Why not give this great medicine a trial, as it is guaranteed and trial bottles are free, at Dreier & Bro.'s drug store. Regular sizes, 50c and $1.00.

It May Do as Much for You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a severe kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so-called kidney cures, but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to the cure of all kidney and liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statements. Price only 50c for large bottle. At Dreier & Bros.'s drug store.

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Stopping a Panic.

One night at a London theater some odds and ends of scenery took fire, and a very perceptible odor of burning alarmed the spectators.

A panic seemed to be imminent, when an actor appeared on the stage.

"Ladies and gentlemen," he said, "compose yourselves. There is no danger—I give you my word of honor there is no danger."

The audience did not seem reassured.

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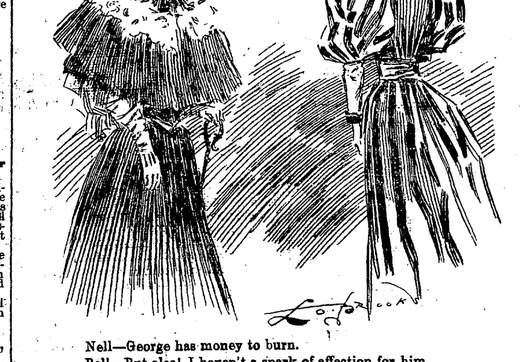

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All parties having knowledge of acts of cruelty to animals or children will greatly favor and assist the Fort Wayne Humane Society by telephoning or writing such information to Officer Schladroff, 82 Clinton street. Telephone No. 57.

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Bell—But alas! I haven't a spark of affection for him.

AFFAIRS OF THE RAIL.

Pennsylvania Master Mechanics Meet Here Today.

Brakeman Wright Meets With Misfortune at New Haven—Man Killed—Local News.

Supt. Potter, of the motive power department of the northwestern system of the Pennsylvania lines, called his master mechanics and road foremen of engineers to his office to-day, to talk of matters pertaining to that branch of the railway service. These meetings are held three of four times a year and are very helpful to the men who attend them. Those in attendance upon today's meeting were: W. W. Atterbury, of Fort Wayne; W. F. Beardsley, of Allegheny; T. F. Butler, of Wellsville; G. J. Parkin, of Erie; W. M. Lowe, of Toledo, and G. P. Sweeley, of Crestline, all master mechanics, and the following road foremen: A. H. Polhamus, of Fort Wayne; S. D. Noragan, of Wellsville; J. P. Robinson, of Lawrence Junction; W. F. Graham, of Allegheny, and H. Israel, of Alliance.

KILLED ON THE WABASH.

William Davis, an employe of one of the mills of Columbia City, while walking on the Wabash railway tracks at that place last evening, was run down by a train and almost instantly killed. The body was terribly crushed and mangled. He leaves a wife and two children.

COAL LANDS GOBBLED.

The Chicago Post says: "An extensive deal in Illinois coal lands, embracing nearly 11,000 acres, has been practically completed by a New York and Chicago syndicate representing two of the largest railway companies in the country. The syndicate has already obtained options on 10,100 acres of coal land in the Grape Creek district, overlying a rich vein containing not less than 75,000,000 tons of bituminous coal. George Gould and the Wabash road are said to be largely interested in the deal, which threatens the valuable interests of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois road in coal freightage from that district to Chicago. The ostensible promoter of the deal, T. A. Broughton, vice president of the Crescent Coal and Mining company and manager of the syndicate, has denied that Gould or the Wabash railroad is interested in the big deal, but the denial may be withdrawn later when the last details of the work of securing control of this vast tract of rich coal land are completed. The names of all capitalists connected with the syndicate are being closely guarded just at present, but it is known that the deal involves the building of a new railroad to tap the fields. From reliable sources the information is gained that this enterprise will be the largest since the anthracite combination, now merged into the Reading syndicate, which is in a state of reorganization."

BRIEF MENTION.

Private business keeps Engineer E. Jamey, of the Pittsburg, from his duties.

Henry Dickmeyer, Patrick O'Brien and John Rupp, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, are sick.

C. Bender, of the Pittsburg lumber yards, is sick and unable to work. A half-dozen other workmen of the same from that city. Engineer W. Beck is another name on the off duty list, he being afflicted with the grip.

Clerk James Costigan, of the electric works, is sick.

Engine 24 went into the Pittsburg back shop this morning for repairs.

W. S. Danes, superintendent of bridges of the Wabash, was in the city last night.

Engineer George Stevens and Firemen John Lalander and H. Rose, of the Nickel Plate, are sick and off duty.

Phelix Commincavish and Harry Roselot have taken positions in the fixture department of the electric works.

The snow storm delayed all trains on the Pittsburg and the Nickel Plate roads today. No accidents were reported, however.

Pittsburg train No. 8 last night took nine passengers out of this city, who were bound for New York. Not bad for a stormy night.

John Wilkinson is now the day agent for the Adams Express company at the south depots. For some months he served as "night man."

C. Rupple and J. Toussaint, flue cutters, and J. Collins, a steam fitter, are absent from the Pittsburg shops today on account of sickness.

Supt. A. E. Barnes and Draughtsman F. L. Session, of the electric works, made a trip to Lima, Ohio, yesterday in the interest of the corporation.

The Pittsburg and the Wabash companies had their snow trains out this morning and the snow at the depots was gathered up and hauled away.

A. Henderson, stationary engineer at the Wabash shops, and his wife will spend a few days with friends at Springfield, Ill. They left today for that city.

John Willard, who had his eyes burned at the electric works last Monday, will probably be able to resume work Monday. He was not badly injured.

Pearl Beigler, machinist apprentice at the Wabash shops, had an eye injured by a piece of steel yesterday. A shopmate removed the metal from the optic.

Mrs. J. Wise, who has been quite sick for some weeks, was so much worse today that her husband, who is foreman of the Pittsburg tank shop, could not leave her bedside.

Superintendent E. A. Gould is much better today than he has been since first taken ill. Yesterday was his "bad day," but happily he suffered no relapse. Instead there was a steady im-

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State Senator.

EDS. SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for Joint Senator for the counties of Allen and Whitley, subject to the decision of the Democratic senatorial convention. W. S. GANDY.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I, Robert B. Hanna, Trustee and Mortgagee in a certain chattel mortgage executed on the 25th day of January, 1896, by the firm of Heller & Frankel of the city of Fort Wayne, conveying to me the stock of clothing, hats, caps, and gents furnishing goods, furniture and fixtures, and book accounts of said firm, situated in the store building at the southwest corner of Main and Calhoun streets in the said city of Fort Wayne, in Allen county, Indiana, will on the 12th day of February, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day offer for sale on the premises the said stock of clothing, hats, caps and gents furnishing goods, merchandise, furniture and fixtures at public auction to the highest bidder for cash. The said sale will be continued until the same is completed.

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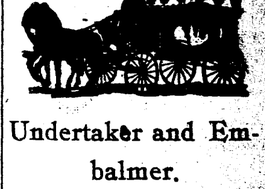

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The Evening Sentinel.

THURSDAY, FEB. 13 1896.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.....No. 173.
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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—For Indiana: Fair and colder tonight and Friday; northerly winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. John Watt gave a thimble party yesterday afternoon.

The ladies of Bethany church are arranging for a literary club.

Mrs. William Neff, of No. 182 Greeley street, is quite ill with la grippe.

This evening Miss Sue Thompson entertains in honor of Miss Reed, of Jeffersonville.

Misses Charlotte and Mamie Clausmeier are in from the Academy of the Sacred Heart on a visit.

J. O. Muhleisen, of Toledo, Ohio, was the guest of Miss Tina Gruber, of No. 108 Jackson street, yesterday.

The new street railway snow sweepers were used last night for the first time. They cleaned the tracks nicely.

The ladies of the English Lutheran church will give a social and supper tomorrow evening at the church parlors.

Miss Katherine Bossler left yesterday for Bluffton, to start a branch dress making establishment with Arnold Brothers.

The missionary club will not meet as heretofore announced this evening, but one week from today at the Westminster church.

Kendallville Sun: "H. W. Mordhurst, of Fort Wayne, most excellent high priest of the grand chapter, R. A. M., is in the city."

"Parson" S. A. Haines will speak in Westminster church next Sabbath morning. He is a notable speaker and known to many in the city.

The boys at No 6 engine house have purchased a pair of boxing gloves and a punching bag, and some latent pugilistic ability is showing itself.

Miss Jessie Neireiter, of No. 46 West Lewis street, entertained a thimble party this afternoon in honor of Miss Nanette Scott, of Indianapolis.

Attorney R. B. Hanna, as trustee for the defunct Globe Clothing house, yesterday disposed of the stock to Mr. A. K. Hurst for $10,155 at an auction sale.

George Maier has signified his acceptance of the superintendency of the Lutheran orphans' home, at Elkhart, Ind., and will shortly leave to assume his duties.

Miss Ollie Falls entertained the Afternoon Pedro club yesterday. Mrs. Charles Colerick won the first prize, Mrs. Skelley the consolation and Mrs. Blair the booby.

Word from Maumee township, where an oil well is being sunk for the Centlivre oil company, of this city, is very encouraging and hopes are entertained of striking a yielding vein.

Oscar B. Judy, assistant foreman in the Pittsburg shops, has purchased lot No. 241, on Columbia avenue, in Lakeside, from Mason Long, and has broken ground for an eight-room residence.

A window which was accidentally left open at Kalbacher's grocery, on Grand street, Monday night, caused a rumor to be started that the store had been burglarized. There was no robbery.

The board of public safety opened bids for the new covered patrol wagon last night. Bids were made by L. C. Zollinger, A. Vogeley, City Carriage works, B. H. Baker and Charles Ehrman. The contract will be let Saturday.

The Young People's society of the Grace Reformed church will give a Valentine social at the church tomorrow evening. The young people have arranged for a very pleasant time. They will have postoffice mailcarriers, a musical program and refreshments.

Miss Lizzie Pohlmeyer was pleasantly surprised by a number of her friends at her home, No. 57 Baker street, who came to remind her of her fourteenth birthday. Games and music were the features of the evening and supper was served at a late hour. She received a number of presents.

Decatur Democrat: "C. E. Everett, of Fort Wayne, representing a syndicate of capitalists, appeared before the board of county commissioners yesterday afternoon and asked for an electric railroad over a public highway in the south part of the county. The franchise was not granted and will not be until it is thoroughly investigated."

The Elks lodge has contracted with Artist F. Schanz for a picture that will adorn the walls of the magnificent lodge room when completed. The picture is that of an elk in his native wild wood. It is to be a copy of a famous painting that was exhibited at the world's fair and of which Mr. Schanz secured a photograph. The picture, which is to be done in oil, will be about seven and one-half feet high, showing the noble animal almost life size. The cost of the painting will be about $400 and it will require several weeks to finish it.

Mrs. Lem R. Hartman was at Huntington yesterday in attendance on the funeral of Miss Mollie Collins, the corresponding secretary for this district of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society. The funeral was very largely attended and the floral offerings were beautiful. An anchor presented by the Woman's Foreign Missionary society was one of the designs. A profusion of cut flowers were strewn about the casket. The services were conducted by Rev. F. G. Browne, assisted by Rev. J. W. DeLong. Miss Collins was well known here and was present at the district convention held in this city about a year ago. She was a lady of lovable character and did a great work for the church.

Mrs. J. L. Leeper, of West Berry street, is quite sick.

Miss Grace White entertained the Merry-Go Rounds today.

Miss E. Melching has gone to Bluffton to remain indefinitely.

The Marquette club gave a reception to their friends at Sons of Columbus hall last night.

Miss Thoene Michaels, of South Calhoun street, will give a valentine party tomorrow evening.

Mr. and Mrs Frank Purcell, of North Harrison street, will entertain the T. C.'s tomorrow evening.

The ladies of the English Lutheran church will give a social and supper Friday evening, in the church parlors.

John H. Lentz, the well known grocer at the corner of Smith and Grant streets, is confined to his home with the grip.

The Daughters of Isabella sewing circle met at the home of Miss Katie Noll, No. 97 West Wayne street this afternoon.

Mrs. O. L. Kelker, of Lakeside, entertained Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. F. M. Tower, of Toledo, and Mrs. Minnie Theorin, of Chicago.

The Ivy Leaf club will give on entertainment at Hibernian hall next Monday evening, for which an excellent program has been arranged.

A social and "conversazione" will be given at the rooms of the Theosophical society, on West Berry street, this evening. The public is invited.

Miss Nanette Scott, who has been the guest of Miss Jessie Neireiter for several weeks, returns to her home at Indianapolis tomorrow morning.

Dr. A. J. Boswell yesterday performed a very delicate operation on the throat of Miss Elma Irey, of Schanz's photograph gallery. It proved successful.

Carl Kruse, a farmer of St. Joe township, was badly injured in a runaway yesterday. His right leg was broken in two places. Dr. Duemling attended him.

Next Monday night the Catholic young men of Ege will give a supper and entertainment at the school hall and a number of Fort Wayne people will attend.

The members of the faculty of the Fort Wayne College of Medicine will enjoy a gentleman's party at the residence of Dr. K. K. Wheelock tomorrow evening.

A pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Edward Berry in honor of his fifteenth birthday anniversary. Postoffice and other amusing games were indulged in.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Culbertson entertained a number of friends at their home last evening in honor of Harry R. Culbertson, who left today for Chicago to reside permanently.

Peter Bogeli, of the Menonite book bindery, has purchased lot No. 222, on Columbia avenue, in Lakeside, from W. D. Henderson, and has the foundation laid for a handsome residence.

The Lakeside Ladies' Sewing society was entertained Tuesday by Mrs. Myers, on Columbia avenue. Next week the meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. A. Robbins, on Lake avenue.

The Paseta circle met at the home of Miss Julia Rensman to elect officers. The following were chosen: President, Miss Julia Rensman; secretary, Miss Lillian Smenk; treasurer, Miss Lou Blust.

The funeral of the late Erasmus Stork was held at St. Paul's Catholic church this morning, under the auspices of St. Bernard branch C. K. of A. The following were pall bearers: Kilian Baker, Joseph Nichter, Joseph Romary, Patrick Ryan, John O'Connel and John H. Welch.

Harry R. Culbertson, for the past six years chief clerk of R. G. Dun & Co., under his brother, F. V. Culbertson, manager of the local office, left today for Chicago to accept a lucrative position with the same firm in the latter city, where he will be assigned to duty on the city reporting staff.

The pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. Witte, on Maumee avenue, was the scene of a very delightful surprise party last evening given in honor of their son, August. Cards, dancing and music were the amusements which served to entertain the assembled guests. At midnight a dainty luncheon was served.

The friends and neighbors of Herman Plock and wife gave them a pleasant surprise last evening, it being his thirty sixth birthday anniversary. Music, games and a sumptuous repast were the most enjoyable features of the evening. Mr Plock also received some valuable gifts in remembrance of the occasion.

Misses Clara Grand and Abbie Doty charmingly entertained friends Tuesday night with a hunting party, in honor of Miss Lottie Hood, of Columbia City. A long string was stretched from place to place in the house and each guest had to follow that string and hunt the end of it. Charles Hood won the first prize in a quotation match.

Among the after dinner speakers at the banquet given last night at Kalamazoo, Mich., by the Lincoln club was Dr. J. W. Younge, of this city. Although it was an impromptu speech, the doctor was equal to the occasion and his tribute to the martyred president was eloquent. There were covers at the banquet table for three hundred and fifty guests and many distinguished speakers were present.

Frank Smutz motorman on one of the new street railway sweepers, had a leg broken between the ankle and knee this morning while at work. As he was rounding the corner at Main and Calhoun streets, a chain holding one of the sweeper motors, which are located on the floor on the inside of the car, broke and the motor rolled over. It struck Smutz's leg. Dr. Porter reduced the fracture. Smutz lives on Hamilton street. He is a regular motorman on the Belt line.

There are no prisoners in the Cass county jail.

Police Superintendent Liggett has returned from Indianapolis.

Mrs. G. Olds left this morning over the Wabash for Mattoon, Ill.

Miss Flora Ullman, of Titusville, Pa., is in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Al. Copinus, of 61 Broadway.

Sheriff Clausmeier and Peter Certia have gone to Mt. Clemens, Mich., to take treatment for rhematism.

Judge Lowry is in Angola attending the Steuben circuit court, engaged in a will case involving a number of intricate legal questions.

Fort Wayne Hive, No. 6, L. O. T. M., will give a social and entertainment, at the home of Mrs. G. I. Olmstead, 213 West Main street, Tuesday evening, February 18.

W. A. Bohn reported to the police this forenoon that a fine beagle hound belonging to him was lost, strayed or stolen and he wanted the police to hunt it up for him.

Three common drunks were before the mayor this morning in police court. They were Gus Dau, Gus Wilson and John Lee. Wilson paid with pension money which he received yesterday. The other two went to jail for eleven days.

After a successful term and examination the pupils of the Sacred Heart academy have commenced their new session. The prospects are very encouraging for a successful year, such as always characterize the work of this well known and popular educational institution. The attendance at the academy is large.

The Concordia Building and Loan association met last night and elected the following officers for the year: President, Charles Keyser; secretary, Chas. H. Buck; treasurer, Charles Stellhorn; directors, Edward Helmke, Nicholas Kelch, Barney Lindeman, Charles Schmidt, Theobold Hofer and Paul Richter; auditing committee, H. F. Beverforden, A. Fuelber, Conrad Leidolf, William Schiefer and Henry Buck.

Humane Officer Schlaudroff is looking for a couple of blooded young men who hired a horse and buggy at Martin's livery barn on Clinton street last night. They drove around a part of the night and finally abandoned the rig near the west end of Washington street. Mr. Martin found the horse there this morning fast between two trees. He knows the two young men and the officers intend to make it warm for them.

Last evening Edward Barry was most pleasantly surprised by a number of his friends. At 12 o'clock a delicious lunch was served. The guests departed in the wee small hours of the approaching dawn, after having enjoyed themselves in a most appropriate manner. Those present were Misses A. Collins, L. Noll, L. Eggeman, L. Rundell, J. O'Connor, M. Motestein, B. Scott, A. Monning, M. Ford, C. Klinkle, V. Klinkle, Messrs. E. Barry, E. Gordon, J. Lennart, J. Kock, J. Brames, J. Ford, J. Lanternier, A. Baker and A. Haffner.

Tuesday evening a very pleasant surprise party invaded the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wellman, of No. 237 Broadway, in honor of their daughter, Louise, to remind her of her twentieth birthday. The evening was spent in card playing. Miss Amelia Schafer and Mr. Rodeman captured the best, and Miss Marie Dudenhoefer and Mr. Fred Schafer the consolation prizes. Those present were Misses Tillie Gerke, Marie Gamrath, Kathrine Hitzeman, Marie Dudenhoefer, Lulu Rippe, Amelia Schafer, Louise Wellman, Louise Rodeman, Mrs. Hisener, Messrs. Henry and Fred Schafer, E. Neimeyer, Edward Scheiman, T. Hargis, Henry Rippe Rodeman and Henry Wellman. At 12 o'clock a sumptuous supper was served.

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MRS. J. C. CRAIG.
MRS. E. ELLIOTT, Secretary.

The ladies of Fort Wayne should by all means attend the free lectures by Mrs. Marian Hartman Hunt, of Chicago, at the City Y. M. C. A., on next Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, the 21st.

Look for program in today's paper for the entertainment and social to be given at Trinity M. E. church this evening. Admission, including both, 10 cents.

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The Catholic ladies of this city are especially invited to attend the free illustrated lectures at the City Y. M. C. A., by Mrs. Marian Hartman Hunt, of Chicago, at 2:30 p. m., on the 18th, 19th and 21st.

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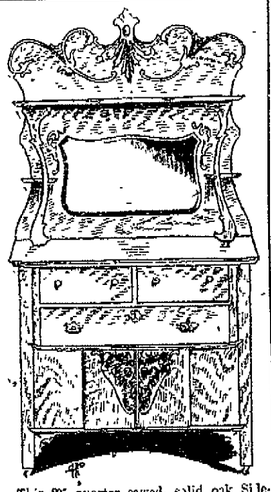

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HE GOT THERE!

The North Pole Has Been Reached

By Dr. Nansen, the Norwegian.

The Explorer Found Land There.

Is Now Returning Towards Civilization.

The Interesting Story of the Fitting Out of the Expedition—Life of the Explorer.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 13.—A telegraphic dispatch received here today from Irkutsk, Siberia, says that a Siberian trader named Kouchnareff, who is the agent of Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, the Norwegian explorer, who sailed in the Fram June 24, 1892, for the Arctic regions, has received information to the effect that Dr. Nansen has reached the north pole, has found land there and is now returning towards civilization.

In April last the Figaro, of Paris, circulated a rumor that Dr. Nansen had found the north pole and that it is situated on a chain of mountains. It was then added that he had planted the Norwegian flag there. The story was generally regarded as being without foundation. On September 17 of last year, advices were received in London from the Danish trading station of Angmagsalik, on the east coast of Greenland, that a ship supposed to be Dr. Nansen's Fram, had been sighted at the end of July, stuck fast in an ice drift.

Finally on December 6, a dispatch from Christiana, Norway, stated that Dr. Nansen's wife received a letter by carrier pigeon reporting that the expedition was doing well. As no carrier pigeons were taken north by the Nansen party, this report evidently was incorrect, but published for what it was worth.

Dr. Fritjof Nansen is a distinguished scientist of Norway and an enthusiastic believer in the possibility of finding the North Pole. He is about thirty-five years of age. He left the university of Christiana in 1880 and two years later went on a sealing trip to Denmark straits, on the east coast of Greenland, in the Viking. Later in 1882 Nansen was appointed curator of the museum at Bergen, which position he retained until 1888, when he led a small expedition of six men to Greenland, constituting the southern part of that portion of the globe.

It was probably during this trip that Nansen conceived the plan of making an attempt to reach the North pole in the vessel constructed specially for such an undertaking. In any case, after his return to Norway, Nansen took the preliminary steps towards fitting out his expedition and the Fram was planned and constructed. She is classed as a three-masted schooner, but she had a 160 horse power steam engine in addition to her sails. Her displacement was 800 tons and her sides were so constructed as to force all ice meeting the vessel to pass underneath her, thus preventing "pinching" and "screwing" The Norwegian parliament allowed Nansen about $52 000 to fit out his craft and, in addition, he was assisted in his work by many private subscriptions, including one of $5,000 from King Oscar. The Fram was launched October 26, 1892, at Laurik, near Christiana. A Norwegian paper, describing the fitting out of the Fram, said:

"Bread is the principal nourishment of Nansen and his people. The bread is a kind of biscuit, large and round, white and very compact. The ration of each man is to consist of four biscuits a day. This, at least, was given out when the expedition left Norway. Silk is used as the most suitable material for tents, as it shuts out the cold better than anything else. The cabin of Nansen's ship, the Fram, (forward), is heated by means of an English petroleum stove, which consumes three litres of petroleum per day. As the explorer has taken along with him a sufficient supply of this fuel to last him eight or nine years, there will be no lack of heating material. The library of the expedition consists of 1,000 books, half of which are scientific works and the other half novels, etc. The crew numbers twelve men, and all occupy the cabin, which measures only thirteen feet square. There they dwell, eat and work. The suits they wear cannot be penetrated by water."

The expedition sailed from Christiana, June 24, 1893, the doctor's plan being to make for the New Siberian islands and head north until the Fram had become imbedded in the ice and would be compelled to drift along the west coast of any land which might be found. On August 23, 1895, Dr. Nansen sent a dispatch from Vardo, reporting that on the 2nd of that month he was about to sail into the Kara Sea and that the Fram had behaved splendidly up to that stage of the journey, especially in making her way through the ice.

A London dispatch dated March 4, of last year, announced that a letter dated Kjollefdord, February 24, had reached Hammerfest, Norway, announcing that a telegraph inspector at a station in the mountains, between Lebesy and Langfjord, had seen a balloon moving in a southerly direction and believed that it was possibly carrying dispatches from Dr. Nansen but until the foregoing dispatch no further news of the balloon of Dr. Nansen had been received.

Dr. Nansen's companions were: Capt. Otto Sverdrup, ship master; Sigurd Scott Hansen, lieutenant in the Norwegian navy and director of the astronomical meteorology and magnetic observations; Henrik Blessing, surgeon and botanist; Theodore C. Jacobsen, mate; Peder Hendricsen, harpooner, Anton A. Mundusen, chief engineer; Lars Petersen, second engineer; Hjalmar Johannessen, officer in the Norwegian army, fireman; Bernard Nordahl, electrician, Ivan Mogstad, carpenter, and Adolf Juell, steward.

ON MEXICAN SOIL

Will the Two Bruisers Pound Each Other.

The Plan is to Make a Rush for Some Unprotected Spot and Fight Before the Troops Arrive.

EL PASO, Tex, Feb. 13.—Many of the sports here are becoming so anxious about their chances of seeing the big fight that they last night declared their intention of watching the depots all of the night to avoid being left. Besides the sports, General Mabry's rangers are carefully watching every train that pulls out, with the intention of boarding it if they see any intention of pulling off the fight in Texas. Stuart has repeatedly assured the adjutant general that he has no intention whatever of pulling off the fight in Texas. At 2:30 this morning the Rangers discovered two cars loaded with what they thought to be carnival paraphernalia attached to a South Pacific freight train just pulling out for the west. Captain Hughes, of the Rangers, ordered the train delayed until permission had been obtained for four of his men to accompany it to the state line. This was granted and the Rangers rode away on the train.

It is practically certain, now that the fight will be on Mexican soil somewhere. It will be a dash across the border and a run for home after the fight is over. If the Mexican troops can manage to reach the battle ground, the chances are that it will be more than a run. It will be a wild and tumultous fight with the chances against those who are unable to swim the Rio Grande. There are places where an agile man may be able to jump across it and although nobody has ever done it, a terrified sport can do great things when he tries. Large delegations are expected from the east before the start is made for the battle ground tomorrow. More than 1,500 visitors are here now. The number at the ring side will not greatly exceed 2,000, if it reaches that number.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 13.—Very few people have left here for the prize fight, as popular belief is that the government will be able to prevent its taking place on Mexican soil

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 13.—Jim Hall and Buck Connelly, seconds for Peter Maher, arrived from Las Cruces at noon today. Maher dropped off three miles out of the city and will come in tonight. Dan Stuart completed the arrangements for a special train today and the start for the battle ground will be made at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

WILL MAKE NEEDLES.

No More Need of Importing From Europe.

A Detroit Man Invents a Machine That Will Turn Out 2,500 Needles an Hour.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—A needle manufactory, the first in the United States, is soon to be started here, the needles to be made by a machine, the first of its kind, invented by Eugene Fontaine, of Detroit. Repeated tests have demonstrated its practicability, and it will turn out 2,500 needles an hour. They can be sold for fifty cents a thousand, as against $1 20 for English and seventy five cents for German needles. The wire is kept on a spindle and is fed into the machine by the constant revolution of the spindle. Immediately upon being reeled into the machine the wire is cut into the lengths desired for the particular needle wanted. The short pieces of wire are then grasped in order by a clutch and the exposed end is brought into contact with a "die, which stamps a blank through which the eye is to be made. A second die perforates this blank and a third die auges off the excess steel about the eye. The needles then come in contact with a series of clutches, which take them from the first set of machinery, and, turning them end to end, exposes them to emery wheels and sand belts. After the point has been made perfect the needle is reversed again to another series of clutches and the eye is polished. From the polishing belts the needles drop into carrying machines at the rate of forty a minute. Up to this time the capacity of the machine has been but thirty-eight a minute, but in time it is thought that the output will greatly exceed that number.

See the Midway at the Princess Rink. The most elaborate production of its kind in America. General admission only 15c.

HE LIVED HIGH.

Tramp John Harmens Finds Over $20,000

Which Had Been Buried by Train Robbers—Is Under Arrest and Confesses.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 13.—John P. Harmens, a tramp, fifty years of age, who by his own confession recovered over $20,000 that was hidden by train robbers a year ago, is locked up in the jail in this city. For months he has been living in San Francisco on the fat of the land from the proceeds of the money taken from the overland express near Sacramento by Jack Brady and Browning over a year ago. The prisoner has turned over to the police $2,000, which he had in the German Savings bank in San Francisco, $5 900 in securities, a diamond ring and a diamond collar button. Harmens found the money hidden under a clump of bushes near Sacramento, where the robbers who held up the train had buried it. It is known that the robbers obtained over $50 000 from Wells-Fargo & Co, but Harmens did not find all of the plunder. He says he obtained only $20,000, but it is believed that these figures are rather under the exact amount. The conclusion is based on the fact that when Brady, one of the bandits, confessed and took the officers to the place where the money was buried and only $6,000 was found. Harmens had evidently taken the rest of the treasure before the officers arrived.

Harmens was arrested in San Francisco Saturday and brought to the city last night. In appearance he is a typical tramp. Among his friends he is known as "Dutch Charlie." After he found the money he went to San Francisco where he loaned a great deal to responsible business men. But he was not miserly, as it is said that he lived at places seldom dreamed of by the average tramp. He bought elegant clothes, making a trip to New York for the purpose and the tramp was transferred into a regular fashion plate.

AMENDMENT BEATEN.

The House Downs the Silver Coinage Measure.

Venezuela Accepts the Proposition of the United States Government—Other National News.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The amendment to the bond bill to coin the American product of silver was defeated in the house by a vote of 41 yeas to 118 ayes.

Through Senor Andrade, its minister here, the government of Venezuela has notified Secretary Olney that it will respond affirmatively to the invitation of the Venezuelan boundary commission to submit all of the evidence in its possession touching the location of the true boundary line. Senor Andrade also stated that the officials of the government of Venezuela are now at work compiling this record and it will be forwarded to the commission at Washington as soon as possible. Presumably the Venezuelan government will be represented before the commission by an agent or counsel as suggested in the invitation, as the minister has strongly recommended this course.

In his annual report to the secretary of state, Clinton Furbish, director of the bureau of American republics, strongly urges that steps be taken to reconvene the representatives of the nations participate in the union in order to arrange a line of work for the bureau in the future. This is made necessary by the practical completion of the principal work of compiling and publishing the series of hand books on the various American republics. This was brought to a close with the issue of the hand book on Peru and the bureau is now preparing a general hand book, intended to be of interest to all of the countries. The work of preparing the code of commercial nomenclature, which is intended to be a help to commercial firms in transacting business with each other, is progressing well, although it is said it may be necessary to reset the first edition, because it was prepared on a scale that has proven to be inconsistent for business men. The plan adopted last year of setting the special publication of the bureau at a figure just above cost price has worked well and the director says that the business interests which are benefitted make no complaint

UPRISING AT SEOUL.

The Ill-Fated Capital of Corea Again the Scene.

Rebels Kill the Premier and Seven Officials and Drive the King Into Hiding.

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 13.—Advices just received from Seoul, capital of Corea, say that an uprising took place there on Tuesday last, February 11, during which the premier and seven officials were murdered. The dispatches add that the king and crown prince have sought shelter in the Russian legation. Twi Won Kun is also there. It is stated that the king ordered the ministers to be put to death. A force of 200 Russian sailors and marines are now guarding the legation of that country.

Combination Horse Sale.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind, Feb. 13.—There are already over 250 entries for the combination sale of trotting bred horses, to be held here March 3-7, by S. J. Fleming. Prominent among the number is Costman, 2.09½; Tip O' Tip, 2:12¼; Latta C, 2:16¼; Mary Anderson, 2.16; T. N. B, 2:10¼, and others. Among the various consignments are the entire stock of Edgwood farm, seventeen head from S. D. Puett, of Rockville; fifteen from Frank McKeen and over forty fine drivers, matched teams, saddlers, coachers and buggy horses, all from the best stock in the country. Col. George A. Bain will officiate as auctioneer.

UP FOR HEARING.

Jackson and Walling Before a Cincinnati Police Judge.

They Waived Examination and Were Committed to Jail Without Bond Until February 18th.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 13.—When the patrol wagon drove to the jail door on Sycamore street this morning to take Jackson and Walling to the police court, there was a curious crowd on the sidewalk to catch such glimpse of the prisoners as could be had as they mounted the stairway from the jail door to the sidewalk and crossed the walk to the wagon. Both were handcuffed, but they entered into no conversation as they met for the first time for several days. They were driven quickly to the city hall and were placed in the cells until they should be called for their hearings. Meantime, a most unusual scene was witnessed in and about the court room. There was a wild struggle for admission into the little temple of police justice and all the hallways adjacent were jammed with men and women, who were unable to even look into the doorway of the court room. An extra detail of officers was necessary to keep the crowd from degenerating into a mob. It was a long time before the prisoners were brought up for examination, and the process was very brief. They both waived examination and were ordered to be committed to jail without bonds on charge of being fugitives from justice and the case was continued until February 18 While the commitments were being prepared, the men were returned to their cells. Sheriff Plummer, of Newport, will at once apply to the governor for a requisition for the prisoners

William F. Wood, whose case was also set for today and who was out on bond, did not appear when called, and his bond was promptly forfeited. Subsequently he came in and his case was continued until February 28 and he was locked up until a new bond can be given. Both Jackson and Walling were represented by attorneys The charges preferred against the prisoners were murder and fugitives from justice.

Upon suggestion of Attorney Mercy, who represented Walling, the charge of murder was withdrawn and the other charge left against them. It is understood this signifies on acquiesence by the Cincinnati authorities, on the theory that the murder was committed in Kentucky and that no resistance will be made to the demand for their removal to that state for trial. It has been thought all along that the prospect of lynching, which has generally been regarded as likely in Newport, will bring one or the other man to the point of furnishing the missing link in the chain of evidence, namely the cabman who drove them with their victim to the place of murder.

The grand jury of Campbell county, Ky, sitting in Newport this morning, reported to Judge Perkins indictments against Scott Jackson and Alonzo M. Walling for the wilful murder of Pearl Bryan.

WILL CARNEGIE MOVE?

Indications Point to a Scheme of That Kind.

May Abandon His Pittsburg Shops and Establish Large Works on Lake Erie.

MASSILLON, Ohio, Feb. 13.—The reorganization of the Wheeling and Lake Erie railway, with A. G. Blair as president, and Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, as one of the new directors, is taken here to mean that the long contemplated plan of securing an inlet into Cleveland and Lorain will be undertaken. As the head and front of the great Johnson Steel and Iron works at Lorain, the ex congressman is in a position to be of great service to the railway, should it be considered desirable to build an extension. Another theory advanced by local railroad officials is that Tom L. Johnson's election to the directory of the Wheeling and Lake Erie points to the transfer of the Carnegie or some other iron interests from Pittsburg to Huron.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Wheat, Feb, 64¾c; May, 66⅝c; June, 66½c; July, 66¼c.

Corn, Feb, 28¼c; May, 30¼c; July, 31¼c; Sept, 32¼c.

Oats, Feb, 19¼c; May, 21⅛@¼c; July, 21½c

Pork, Feb, $10 12½; May, $10 32½, July, $10.50

Lard, Feb., $5 52½; May, $5 70; July, $5 87½.

Ribs, Feb., $5 17½; May, $5 35 @5 37½; July, $5 45.

Gladstone May Re-enter Parliament.

GLASGOW, Feb. 13.—The Herald, of this city, says it learns that Mr Gladstone is greatly inclined to stand again for parliament at the first available opportunity, in order to support the Armenians. The Herald adds that Mr. Gladstone does not conceal his conviction that both political parties in Great Britain have betrayed Armenia.

WILL ATTACK IT.

Attitude of Republicans Toward the Apportionment Act.

Will be Attacked if Governor Matthews Refuses to Call a Special Session of the Legislature.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 13.—The republican state central committee held an all day meeting here yesterday and extended its deliberations late into the night in the effort to adopt a policy in reference to the apportionment act of 1885, many of the party desiring to attack it in the courts and by having it declared unconstitutional force the governor to call the legislature in special session, while others took a contrary view and wished to have the statute remain as it is.

The latter believe that the party's chances are as good to control the legislature under the act of 1885 as they would be under another law, especially as a majority of the holdover senators are republicans. The politicians expressed their views before the committee and republican attorneys were then called in to give light on the legal aspect of the case, especially as to whether a decision could be secured before the fall election.

The lawyers said that the case could be delayed in the supreme court, and it was hardly probable that a decision could be secured in time to enable the legislature, even if the governor would call that body together, to enact a new law.

Last night the committee was again in session, and finally decided that the law should be attacked, in case the governor refused to call a special session of the legislature for the passage of a new apportionment act There is much dissatisfaction in some quarters over the action of the committee.

KIDNAPER LOSES HIS NERVE.

Leaves His Unconscious Captive on the Roadside and Decamps.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 13.—Miss Ida Baker, living near Walton, was returning home from the house of a friend just after dark several days ago when she was overpowered by someone and forced into a buggy and driven five miles from home There she was left on the roadside and did not regain consciousness for several hours When she returned home and related the story and showed marks of the struggle with the kidnaper, the people were not inclined to credit her story. Her guardian, however, employed a detective and the latter has been working on the case. He has discovered that the kidnaping was planned for the purpose of forcing Miss Baker into a marriage that was distasteful to her, and that the man who was employed to seize her and convey her to the person who sought the matrimonial relation repented of his part in the affair when he failed to arouse the unconscious victim, and then placed her upon the roadside. It is claimed that the whole affair will be made public in the early arrest of the parties, who stand high in the rural community.

MRS. LEASE A PREACHER.

Will Preach the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man.

WICHITA, Kas., Feb. 13.—Mary E Lease, who has nearly recovered from her recent severe illness, has decided to enter the ministry. The announcement of this new step has created great surprise here, as her life up to the present time has been given up entirely to politics Mrs Lease says that while hovering between life and death in Minnesota she made a vow that if her life was spared she would become a preacher of the Gospel. "My creed," said she, "is the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man." She was raised a Catholic, but a few years ago united with the Christian church, and she will preach for that denomination. Her initial sermon will be preached next Sunday morning from the pulpit of the Central church of Christians in this city. She will not abandon the lecture field.

TURN THE TABLES.

Indiana Saloonkeepers Bring Suit Against Mayor and Sheriff.

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., Feb. 13.—Gilbert J. Phillips and James Whitcomb, two saloonkeepers who were prosecuted during the late liquor war in this city, today turned the tables on Mayor Enos and City Marshal Sparks and his deputy, George W. Neal, by bringing suit in the circuit court against them for $10,000 damages for false imprisonment the grounds being that the mayor had no jurisdiction to fine them $40 for the offense charged and that the mittimus was without authority of law because the judgment upon which it was based was void. The Good Citizens' league has employed three firms of able attorneys to defend the mayor and his officers in the suits.

Indiana Inventors.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 13.—Patents have been issued to Indiana inventors as follows: John C. Coffee, Decatur, lever lifting jack; Geo. E. Hoag, Tell City, lumber drier; Philip Hofferd, Mulberry, feeder for clover hullers; Jas. B. Jarlin, Muncie, corn planter, Lemuel Middleton, Russiaville, fence post; Thos. Nesom, Indianapolis, fifth wheel for vehicle; Valentine C. Rochell, Fort Wayne, lawn sprinkler; J. Schaffer, Galveston, plate or pan lifter, Mahlon Wells Haughville, car coupling; Burt H Whiteley, Munice, apparatus for melting iron.

The Majesty Sunk.

SOUTHAMPTON, Feb. 13.—While the American line steamer Paris, Captain Watkins, from New York on February 5, was docking here at 6 o'clock this morning she came into collision with the steamer Majesty, belonging to the Isle of Wight. The Majesty was sunk, but all the members of her crew were saved. Divers have commenced an inspection of the rudder of the Paris in order to ascertain if it was damaged by the collision.

THE MIDWAY.

A Pleasing Entertainment at the Princess Rink.

A Realistic Production of the Famed Midway With Its Many Novel, Unique Attractions.

People who visited the world's fair and enjoyed the peculiar sights that were to be found on the midway can see the same thing over again at the Princess rink. The Midway plaisance is reproduced there on a smaller scale but true in detail and a visitor can not help but enjoy it.

This entertainment is being given by the military companies of this city. It is under the direction of Mr. J Allen Whyte, of Chicago, who has a full set of scenery representing the various buildings and villages Major J. E. Miller is general manager The participants in the entertainment are members of the military companies and a large number of gentlemen, and ladies of the city.

Booths are arranged on the two sides of the interior of the rink. In front of each is a windy fellow who cries out advertising the attractions that are to be seen within, thus reproducing another main feature of the midway, viz: the unearthly noise.

The booths and villages are all in competent hands and visits to them are entertaining

The participants in the Midway Plaisance entertainment are as follows:

Irish Village—Mrs. Ahern, manager, Misses May Ahern, Allie Quinlan, Eva Schieffer, Tad McClure, Hannah Donohue, Messrs. Emil Erickson, Ernest Barr, J. F. Weidemeier, John W. Peckham, Charles Hauck, fiddler. The colleens are all costumed in green.

Beauty Show—F. H. Hilgeman, manager; William Walde, James Leehler, Fred Archer, George Feustel, Frank Wadsworth, Harry Alderman, Lou Lancaster.

Hagenbeck's Animal Show.—C. E. Rhoades, manager; Dick Miller, crier. The rest of the company here is composed of rare animals from the wild and wooly precincts of Centlivre's park, Bass' farm, Prairie switch and Columbia street.

New England Home.—Mrs John W. Hayden, manager; Mrs. T. B. Empie, Mrs M. B. Gorsline, Mrs. McKean, Mrs. Holmes, Misses Uselman, Chinworth and Snider. Uncle Sam and George Washington are also represented. Here the ladies serve excellent coffee, doughnuts and pie.

Old Vienna.—Mrs. Buchanan, manager; Misses Eva Wagner, Clara Hardung, Tena Weldon, Lizzie Lapp and Amelia Koapf, Messrs. G. E. Ibel, Ed. Shoch and Ed. Timmons.

Dahomey Village—F. C. Kehler, manager; Morgan and Zaro, acrobats; Messrs. Barr, Schane, Riley, Greenick, Potter, Heffelfinger, Spitler, Ranke and Yeley. Here is performed the war dance and other antics of the Dahomeyans.

Turkish Village—Mrs Frank Alderman, chairman, Mrs Geo. Crane and Mrs. Gallagher; Misses Laura Snowberger, Lillie Keag, Eva Jones and Martha Housher; Messrs. E C. Johnson, John Anderson, Ed Tigges, Joe Gerardin and George B. Taylor. Frank and Willie Jeffrey, both small boys, do some clever acrobatic performing. This is a most interesting place. Turkish goods, pipes, etc., are sold here.

Moorish Palace—W. Mcleod, manager; Misses Georgie Smith, Nina Strock, Cora Sayner, Ethel Griswold and Verne Aakins; Messrs John Spanberg, Chas. Greenick, F. Arney, J. Jackson, B. McFarron, John Herrman, W. S. Beaston and Clyde Klinger. The entertainment here is novel and interesting.

Japanese Booth—Mrs. J. B. Fonner, manager; Mrs P G. Thompson, Misses Abbie Moore, Eliza Burnett, Sue Burnett, Emma Shoch, Jessie Neireiter, Stella Mulqueen and May Jones. The pretty Jap girls sell Japanese goods and serve tea.

Streets of Cairo—O. S. Jones, manager, Misses May Scarr, Grace Pothamus, Daisy Jarrett and Bertha Garcley, Messrs E C Buck, W. H. Ward, Frank Alderman, G. Depner, J Greer, H. Mc Cullom, C. Snowberger, Robert Bartell, J. Didier and B Jacobs. Here is given a true reproduction of the Bedouin Arab wedding ceremony.

German Village—Paul Hoppe, manager; Misses Susie Roehrs, E. Piepenbrink, Bertha Welten, Hulda Haberkorn, Sophia Bloch, Susie Wagner and Amelia Haberkorn, Messrs John Koepf, Frank Reinking and R H Claymiller. Weinerwurst, rye bread and coffee are served by the frauleins.

Prof. Arthur Finch, the World's fair prize harmonica player, is an attraction of the entertainment

Capt. J. B Fonner is in the ticket office and Will Cleary and A. F. Reinking attend the door.

Music is furnished by the First Regiment band

The Midway Plaisance is an interesting place to spend an evening

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Theo Clark, No 179 Taylor street—a son Mr Clark is the Broadway barber.

See Tretheway Bros' ad this week. A $3 50 shoe for $2 75

DISTINGUISHED VISITOR

Supreme Foreman Tate, of the A. O. U. W., Coming.

He Will be Present at an Open Meeting to be Held Next Saturday Evening.

A telegram was received by George R. Hench last evening from T. D. Neal, of Franklin, Ind, grand master workman of the A. O. U. W, of Indiana, that Supreme Foreman J G Tate, of Nebraska, will be in Fort Wayne Saturday. An open meeting will be held in his honor at the hall of Summit City lodge No 36, on the corner of Calhoun and Superior streets, Saturday evening It will be a joint meeting of lodges Nos 19, 36 and 50. Committees are arranging for the event

No admittance fee to this meeting will be charged and the public will be cordially welcomed.

Supreme Foreman Tate is a fluent and able speaker and as he will address the meeting, those who attend are sure of being entertained in an excellent manner. Mr. Tate has been attending the meeting of the grand lodge of Kentucky at Louisville this week and next week he will be present at the meeting of the grand lodge of Indiana, which will be held at South Bend. He is one of the most prominent A. O. U. W. men in the country.

A number of members of the Fort Wayne lodges will attend the grand lodge at South Bend next week. Among them will be the following: From No. 19: H. S. Vreeland, Dr. J W. Younge, E B. Smith, S. S Scoville, and J. J. Bauer, No. 36: C. F. Haiber, O. V. Riley, G. R Hench, N. Conover, F. E Purcell, Julius Koch, No. 59: George Ashley, James Velvick, George Mong.

Mr. Scoville is a member of the grand lodge committee on credentials. Mr. Hench now holds the position of grand overseer in the grand lodge and his friends are positive that when the election occurs he will be elevated to a still higher place

The grand lodge opens next Tuesday and continues two days

OYSTER SOUP

Severely Poisons C. B. Beaver and Family.

Mr. Beaver and Son, Hugh, Were Very Sick, But All are Now Out of Danger.

Charles B. Beaver and family, of Lakeside, were severely poisoned Monday evening by oysters which they ate for supper. Not long after the meal Mr. Beaver, who is still confined to his home from the effects of the accident which befell him several weeks ago, began feeling sick. He suffered severe pains in the stomach. His son, Hugh, was afflicted in the same manner.

Mrs. Beaver and son, Harry, had partaken but lightly of the oysters and they did not suffer as much as did Mr. Beaver and Hugh.

Since Monday Mr. Beaver has been quite sick and Hugh has been barely able to attend to his duties at the United States express office. No danger exists at present, however, but it was a rather serious case of poisoning for a time

MUSICAL EVENTS

Given at the Wayne Street and Trinity M. E. Churches.

The Linden quartet, assisted by other musical talent, will give a concert tomorrow evening at the Wayne street M. E. church, for the benefit of the musical fund of the church. The program will be as follows.

Organ solo — Miss Frank Stouder
Part song—"Row Little Boat" — Linden Male quartet
Reading—Out of the Fire — Mrs. Robert Harding
Solo—"A Summer Night" — Mrs. Harry Spade
Piano duet — Misses Schey and Hill
Song — The Lindens
Violin solo — Miss A. Lillian Schrader
Duet—The Two Sailors — Messrs. Curdes and Griffith
Reading—"The Land Diamond" — Dr. Schrader
Song—"Since First I Met Thee" — Mrs Harry Spade
Piano duet — Misses Schey and Hill
Song — The Lindens
Organ solo — Mrs. Frank Stouder

An entertainment will be given this evening at Trinity M E church. The following program will be rendered.

Piano solo — Miss Lotte Beame
Recitation — Miss Cecil Lark Dyer
Duet — Misses Jessie Bond and Lottie Beame
Pantomime — Miss Grace Edgerton
Solo — Miss Mabel Beame
Recitation — Miss Florence McMillen
Piano duet — Misses Bessie McClelland and Lottie Beame
Violin and piano duet — Lola and Arthur Leckie
Dialogue—Mrs. Grimshaw's Mistake — By seven young folks
Tableaux — The queen and her attendants

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If you need bargains in shoes and rubbers, be at Thing & Co.'s Midwinter Clearance Sale, 32 Calhoun St Large Red Boot.

Big Enough for a Bear.

WINCHESTER, Ind, Feb. 12.—Charles Kelley, one of the leading merchants of this city, has a dog of the English Dane breed, that is attracting much attention. The animal is only nine months old, but it measures five feet, eleven and one half inches from tip to tip, is thirty five and one-haly inches high and weighs 163 pounds, although thin in flesh The dog is still rapidly growing, and it is said this breed of dogs do not get their growth until they are two years old

IS INSANE.

Jared C. Strong, Ex-Superintendent of Public Schools

Will be Sent to the Asylum—Fred Beyerlein Acquitted—News in the Courts.

Justices of the Peace Bullerman and France and Doctors W. H. Myers and W. F. Schrader are holding an inquest in regard to the insanity of Jared C. Strong, who, during an early day, was the superintendent of the public schools of this city. Mr. Strong is seventy seven years of age, and during the last several years has been in feeble health. He has exhibited traits of insanity for some time and lately has become so violent that his relatives had to send him to the Hope hospital He imagines that his body and his clothes are covered with insects and that they will be converted into wreaths Another one of his hallucinations is that he is associated with Queen Victoria in the government of Great Britain and that he frequently converses with her. He is under the impression that the queen has sent for him and that he must go to her. At such times, if he is restrained, he becomes violent and threatens to kill himself and also those about him. Yesterday he became very violent at his home, where his daughter is teaching a class of scholars, and he could not be quieted in any manner whatever. The patrol wagon was sent for and he was taken to the Hope hospital The old gentlemen will be adjudged insane and sent to the insane asylum. He is well known and for many years has been highly esteemed by his large circle of friends.

Andrew Gardella sues Givanni Pema in the superior court to recover $5,000 from the latter for alleniating from him the affections of his wife. Breen & Morris are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Harlin Kennedy was fined $1 and costs by Justice Bullerman for provoking Charles Vought

Philemon Colerick and Martha Eliza Raub, John T. Dougall and Jennie Madge Lathrop, John M. Reed and Sadie M. Warner, Herman Boedecker and Minnie Fritz, Herman Block and Clara Storke, Herman R. Sheetz and Bertha M. DeHaven have been licensed to wed.

Fred Byerlien was acquitted of the charge of forgery in the circuit court this morning on account of a faulty affidavit. He was rearrested on another affidavit and will have a hearing tomorrow.

Louis Ganzer was acquitted of the charge of embezzlement at Montpelier yesterday. He was defended by Will Ryan, of this city.

The case of the Journal company against M. E. Burns is on trial before Judge O'Rourke and a jury in the circuit court.

THE PLAYERS

Who Will Compose the Fort Wayne Ball Team.

A Strong Club Will be Made Up—Will Play Ball in Lakeside—Grand Stand to Cost $2,000.

Manager William Meyer says the inter state base ball league is progressing nicely and that final arrangements will be completed at the meeting to be held at Pittsburg next Saturday.

The Fort Wayne team will be a strong one. It is to be composed of a number of reserve players from the Cleveland league team and a few others outside. Those who are to come from Cleveland are George Tebeau, first baseman; Tom Delehanty and William Carrick, basemen; J. H. Swain and Frank Wilson, pitchers, Rome Gray, Harry Blake and Ed Greminger, fielders; Ed O'Meara catcher. Ed Boland, of this city, will also be a catcher on the team. Two or three more players will be signed.

George Tibeau will be captain and manager of the Fort Wayne club.

Plans have been prepared for the grand stand It will be a good, convenient structure, seating 1,200 people and it will cost $2,000.

It has been decided to continue the ball park in Lakeside instead of moving to Spy Run avenue.

Tuesday evening a very enjoyable surprise party was tendered Mrs T. F. Drake at her home, No 151 Wallace street, by her many friends in remembrance of her birthday anniversary. It was a most pleasant event Conversation and card playing were the main features of the evening. At 10 o'clock an elaborate lunch was served. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames C. Hilton, H. Nicewonger, J Kickley, Cour, W. Gates, G. Miller, F. J. Miller, T. Comparet, White, Laurenig, Mesdames McDole, Gretzinger, Campbell, Adams, Hutchinson, Horning, Combs, Lyons; Misses Comparet, Cour Messrs. C Lyons, W. E Wass

Mrs. A. Anderson, wife of the well known Nickel Plate conductor, died at St Joe hospital at 1 o'clock today. She had been ailing from cancer for about two years, but had been confined to her bed for only about six weeks. She was forty years of age and leaves a husband, one daughter, Mrs. Frank Ebert, and two sons, Clarence and Bertie. Mrs Anderson was a member of the Ladies auxiliary to the Order of Railway Conductors.

Miss Stella Weyer, of St Louis, is visiting the family of Dr. Moffat.

Sunsets and Peach Blossoms

And flower gardens are rivaled by the

NEW SPRING SILKS.

Every woman should bless the man who invented modern warp printing.

Printed warps are everywhere, and in some of the handsomest styles—printing and wearing, both combine to produce exquisite and striking effects The new Shadow Silks with hair line scrolls scattered over the surface. The new Persian and Jardonierre effects make very striking dinner and reception gowns

These are $1 25 to $2 75 a yard

Spring Dress Goods The leading goods for early spring wear are the stylish all Wool Cheviots English, Scotch and American Yankee ingenuity have imitated and outranked English styles and got the better of them in prices.

Mixed Cheviot Suitings, 38 inches wide, close well mixed weaves, medium color effects, excellent styles, 45c

Mixed Cheviots, 38 inches wide, in the best color combinations for natty street costumes, 50c

Mottled Cheviots, 40 inches wide the conventional mixture, with mottled designs, indistinctly showing, clearly new this season, 75c

Cheviot Fancies, 40 inches wide, silk and wool colors combined in decided style—just the thing for rich costumes, $1 00

Veils and Veiling How the wind whistles and the tan starts on the cheek, that must be avoided by one of our veils The new things are Pattern Veils, all colors, deep borders, 75c to $1 50 each.

Black dotted Nets, 20c to $1 00
Fancy Mesh Nets 10c to 50c
Black and all colors

Prints.

New Spring Prints, so handsome China Silk printers could copy designs from them.

And our Muslin Underwear selling has become famous. This sixteenth yearly selling brings you the most perfectly made garments we have ever shown, and such possible values for such nice, dainty garments nobody ever dreamed of.

The Umbrella Skirts

The Umbrella Drawers, which have taken so favorably, demanded re orders at once

At $1 00—We show Night Gowns of unusual excellence

At 50c—Drawers, trimmed with fine embroidery. These are the par excellence in the Drawer bargains, 50c.

At 25c—Great lines Corset Covers, all Cambric, and large lines plain drawers, nice muslin plaits

Challies

When you can save 10 cents a yard, get an article for 15c—sure to be 25c and no less, after this lot is gone—you want to fasten to it at once.

These are 30 inch half wool Challies in beautiful colorings—80 pieces in the lot and all lay upon the low price dress counter.

Imperial Paper Patterns

For March are here. This pattern business is growing wonderfully—models with every pattern. Call in and see the new styles for spring.

ROOT & COMPANY.

EVERYBODY GOES TO

THE PANTITORIUM,

To have their Clothing CLEANED, PRESSED, DYED and REPAIRED. Call up telephone 455 and they will call for your work. 16 ARCADE,

Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

Misses Maud Myers and Alice Hess have issued invitations for a masquerade party to be given at the residence of John Connolley, on Monday evening next

MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

You can depend upon Edmunds & Law. 1tf

Huntington Democrat: "Mrs. L. B. Smith and son, Nelson, returned from their visit among relatives at Fort Wayne Tuesday afternoon"

OUR ANNUAL MID-WINTER PANT SALE

That is so anxiously looked forward to by the majority of the people in Fort Wayne and vacinity is now in full blast, and we are confident that this is the greatest

Special Pantaloon Sale

That has ever taken place in this city. We have never been able to quote such low prices nor give you such a large and desirable selection of styles and fabrics.

$1.48

For Men's wool Pants in Cassimeres and Cheviots, that are worth from $2 00 to $2 50.

$1.98

For Men's all wool Pants in Cassimeres, Cheviots and Worsteds, that sell the world over at $3.00 and $3.50; we have all sizes of each pattern.

$2.48

For Men's all wool Pants in fancy worsteds, black cheviots and cassimeres in elegant patterns and finely made. These would be cheap at $3.50 and $4 00.

$2.98

For Men's fine Pants in all fabrics and styles, that are worth $4 00 and $4.50 of anyones money.

$3.48

For Men's finest worsted and cassimere Pants, worth $4 50, $5 and $6. See window display.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.

THURSDAY, FEB. 13 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.....No. 173.
Editorial Rooms.....No. 650.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13—For Indiana: Fair and colder tonight and Friday, northerly winds

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. John Watt gave a thimble party yesterday afternoon

The ladies of Bethany church are arranging for a literary club.

Mrs William Neff, of No. 182 Greeley street, is quite ill with la grippe.

This evening Miss Sue Thompson entertains in honor of Miss Reed, of Jeffersonville

Misses Charlotte and Mamie Clausmeier are in from the Academy of the Sacred Heart on a visit

J O Muhleisen, of Toledo, Ohio, was the guest of Miss Tina Gruber, of No 108 Jackson street, yesterday

The new street railway snow sweepers were used last night for the first time They cleaned the tracks nicely.

The ladies of the English Lutheran church will give a social and supper tomorrow evening at the church parlors.

Miss Katherine Bossler left yesterday for Bluffton, to start a branch dress making establishment with Arnold Brothers.

The missionary club will not meet as heretofore announced this evening, but one week from today at the Westminster church.

Kendallville Sun: "H. W. Mordhurst, of Fort Wayne, most excellent high priest of the grand chapter, R A M, is in the city"

"Parson" S A. Haines will speak in Westminster church next Sabbath morning. He is a notable speaker and known to many in the city.

The boys at No 6 engine house have purchased a pair of boxing gloves and a punching bag and some latent pugilistic ability is showing itself.

Miss Jessie Neireiter, of No 46 West Lewis street, entertained a thimble party this afternoon in honor of Miss Nanette Scott, of Indianapolis.

Attorney R. B Hanna, as trustee for the defunct Globe Clothing house, yesterday disposed of the stock to Mr. A K. Hurst for $10,155 at an auction sale

George Maier has signified his acceptance of the superintendency of the Lutheran orphans' home at Elkhart, Ind, and will shortly leave to assume his duties.

Miss Ollie Falls entertained the Afternoon Pedro club yesterday. Mrs. Charles Colerick won the first prize, Mrs. Skelley the consolation and Mrs. Blair the booby

Word from Maumee township, where an oil well is being sunk for the Centlivre oil company, of this city, is very encouraging and hopes are entertained of striking a yielding vein.

Oscar B Judy, assistant foreman in the Pittsburg shops, has purchased lot No 241, on Columbia avenue, in Lakeside from Mason Long, and has broken ground for an eight room residence.

A window which was accidentally left open at Kalbacher's grocery, on Grand street, Monday night, caused a rumor to be started that the store had been burglarized. There was no robbery.

The board of public safety opened bids for the new covered patrol wagon last night. Bids were made by L C. Zollinger, A. Vogeley, City Carriage works, B. H Baker and Charles Ehrman. The contract will be let Saturday.

The Young People's society of the Grace Reformed church will give a Valentine social at the church tomorrow evening. The young people have arranged for a very pleasant time. They will have postoffice mailcarriers, a musical program and refreshments.

Miss Lizzie Pohlmeyer was pleasantly surprised by a number of her friends at her home, No. 57 Baker street, who came to remind her of her fourteenth birthday. Games and music were the features of the evening and supper was served at a late hour. She received a number of presents.

Decatur Democrat: "C. E. Everett, of Fort Wayne, representing a syndicate of capitalists, appeared before the board of county commissioners yesterday afternoon and asked for an electric railroad over a public highway in the south part of the county. The franchise was not granted and will not be until it is thoroughly investigated."

The Elks lodge has contracted with Artist F Schanz for a picture that will adorn the walls of the magnificent lodge room when completed. The picture is that of an elk in his native wild wood. It is to be a copy of a famous painting that was exhibited at the world's fair and of which Mr. Schanz secured a photograph. The picture, which is to be done in oil, will be about seven and one half feet high, showing the noble animal almost life size. The cost of the painting will be about $400 and it will require several weeks to finish it.

Mrs. Lem R. Hartman was at Huntington yesterday in attendance on the funeral of Miss Mollie Collins, the corresponding secretary for this district of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society. The funeral was very largely attended and the floral offerings were beautiful. An anchor presented by the Woman's Foreign Missionary society was one of the designs. A profusion of cut flowers were strewn about the casket The services were conducted by Rev. F. G. Browne, assisted by Rev. J. W. DeLong. Miss Collins was well known here and was present at the district convention held in this city about a year ago. She was a lady of lovable character and did a great work for the church.

Mrs J L. Leeper of West Berry street, is quite sick

Miss Grace White entertained the Merry Go Rounds today.

Miss E Melching has gone to Bluffton to remain indefinitely.

The Marquette club gave a reception to their friends at Sons of Columbus hall last night.

Miss Thoene Michaels, of South Calhoun street, will give a valentine party tomorrow evening.

Mr. and Mrs Frank Purcell, of North Harrison street, will entertain the T. C.'s tomorrow evening.

The ladies of the English Lutheran church will give a social and supper Friday evening, in the church parlors.

John H Lentz, the well known grocer at the corner of Smith and Grant streets, is confined to his home with the grip.

The Daughters of Isabella sewing circle met at the home of Miss Katie Noll, No. 97 West Wayne street this afternoon.

Mrs. O. L. Kelker, of Lakeside, entertained Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs F. M. Tower, of Toledo, and Mrs. Minnie Theorin, of Chicago.

The Ivy Leaf club will give on entertainment at Hibernian hall next Monday evening, for which an excellent program has been arranged.

A social and "conversazione" will be given at the rooms of the Theosophical society, on West Berry street, this evening. The public is invited.

Miss Nanette Scott, who has been the guest of Miss Jessie Neireiter for several weeks, returns to her home at Indianapolis tomorrow morning

Dr A J. Boswell yesterday performed a very delicate operation on the throat of Miss Elma Irey, of Schanz's photograph gallery. It proved successful.

Carl Kruse, a farmer of St. Joe township, was badly injured in a runaway yesterday. His right leg was broken in two places Dr. Duemling attended him.

Next Monday night the Catholic young men of Ege will give a supper and entertainment at the school hall and a number of Fort Wayne people will attend.

The members of the faculty of the Fort Wayne College of Medicine will enjoy a gentleman's party at the residence of Dr. K. K. Wheelock tomorrow evening.

A pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Edward Berry in honor of his twentieth birthday anniversary Postoffice and other amusing games were indulged in.

Mr and Mrs. F. E Culbertson entertained a number of friends at their home last evening in honor of Harry R Culbertson, who left today for Chicago to reside permanently.

Peter Bogeli, of the Mennonite book bindery, has purchased lot No. 222, on Columbia avenue, in Lakeside, from W. D Henderson, and has the foundation laid for a handsome residence.

The Lakeside Ladies' Sewing society was entertained Tuesday by Mrs. Myers, on Columbia avenue Next week the meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. A. Robbins, on Lake avenue.

The Paseta circle met at the home of Miss Julia Rensman to elect officers. The following were chosen President, Miss Julia Rensman, secretary, Miss Lillian Smenk treasurer, Miss Lou Blust.

The funeral of the late Erasmus Stork was held at St. Paul's Catholic church this morning, under the auspices of St. Bernard branch C K of A. The following were pall bearers: Kilian Baker, Joseph Nichter, Joseph Romary, Patrick Ryan, John O'Connel and John H. Welch.

Harry R Culbertson, for the past six years chief clerk of R. G. Dun & Co, under his brother, F. V. Culbertson, manager of the local office, left today for Chicago to accept a lucrative position with the same firm in the latter city, where he will be assigned to duty on the city reporting staff.

The pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. Witte, on Maumee avenue, was the scene of a very delightful surprise party last evening given in honor of their son, August. Cards, dancing and music were the amusements which served to entertain the assembled guests. At midnight a dainty luncheon was served.

The friends and neighbors of Herman Plock and wife gave them a pleasant surprise last evening, it being his thirty sixth birthday anniversary. Music, games and a sumptuous repast were the most enjoyable features of the evening. Mr Plock also received some valuable gifts in remembrance of the occasion.

Misses Clara Grand and Abbie Doty charmingly entertained friends Tuesday night with a hunting party, in honor of Miss Lottie Hood, of Columbia City. A long string was stretched from place to place in the house and each guest had to follow that string and hunt the end of it Charles Hood won the first prize in a quotation match

Among the after dinner speakers at the banquet given last night at Kalamazoo, Mich, by the Lincoln club was Dr J. W. Younge, of this city. Although it was an impromptu speech, the doctor was equal to the occasion and his tribute to the martyred president was eloquent There were covers at the banquet table for three hundred and fifty guests and many distinguished speakers were present

Frank Smutz motorman on one of the new street railway sweepers, had a leg broken between the ankle and knee this morning while at work. As he was rounding the corner at Main and Calhoun streets, a chain holding one of the sweeper motors, which are located on the floor on the inside of the car, broke and the motor rolled over. It struck Smutz's leg. Dr. Porter reduced the fracture. Smutz lives on Hamilton street. He is a regular moterman on the Belt line.

There are no prisoners in the Cass county jail.

Police Superintendent Liggett has returned from Indianapolis.

Mrs. G. Olds left this morning over the Wabash for Mattoon, Ill.

Miss Flora Ullman, of Titusville, Pa., is in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Al. Copinus, of 61 Broadway.

Sheriff Clausmeier and Peter Certia have gone to Mt. Clemens, Mich., to take treatment for rhematism.

Judge Lowry is in Angola attending the Steuben circuit court, engaged in a will case involving a number of intricate legal questions.

Fort Wayne Hive, No 6, L O T. M., will give a social and entertainment, at the home of Mrs. G. I. Olmstead, 213 West Main street, Tuesday evening, February 18.

W. A. Bohn reported to the police this forenoon that a fine beagle hound belonging to him was lost, strayed or stolen and he wanted the police to hunt it up for him.

Three common drunks were before the mayor this morning in police court. They were Gus Dau, Gus Wilson and John Lee. Wilson paid with pension money which he received yesterday. The other two went to jail for eleven days.

After a successful term and examination the pupils of the Sacred Heart academy have commenced their new session. The prospects are very encouraging for a successful year, such as always characterize the work of this well known and popular educational institution. The attendance at the academy is large.

The Concordia Building and Loan association met last night and elected the following officers for the year: President, Charles Keyser, secretary, Chas. H. Buck, treasurer, Charles Stellhorn; directors, Edward Helmke, Nicholas Kelch, Barney Lindeman, Charles Schmidt, Theobold Hofer and Paul Richter; auditing committee, H. F. Beverforden, A. Fuelber, Conrad Leidolf, William Schiefer and Henry Buck.

Humane Officer Schlaudroff is looking for a couple of blooded young men who hired a horse and buggy at Martin's livery barn, on Clinton street last night They drove around a part of the night and finally abandoned the rig near the west end of Washington street. Mr. Martin found the horse there this morning fast between two trees. He knows the two young men and the officers intend to make it warm for them.

Last evening Edward Barry was most pleasantly surprised by a number of his friends At 12 o'clock a delicious lunch was served. The guests departed in the wee small hours of the approaching dawn, after having enjoyed themselves in a most appropriate manner. Those present were Misses A. Collins, L Noll, L Eggeman, L Rundell, J. O'Connor, M. Motestein, B. Scott, A. Monning M Ford, C. Klinkle, V. Klinkle, Messrs. E Barry, E Gordon, J. Lennart, J. Kock, J. Brames, J. Ford, J. Lanternier, A. Baker and A. Haffner.

Tuesday evening a very pleasant surprise party invaded the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wellman, of No. 237 Broadway, in honor of their daughter, Louise, to remind her of her twentieth birthday. The evening was spent in card playing. Miss Amelia Schafer and Mr. Rodeman captured the best, and Miss Marie Dudenhoefer and Mr. Fred Schafer the consolation prizes. Those present were Misses Tillie Gerke, Marie Gamrath, Kathrine Hitzeman, Marie Dudenhoefer, Lulu Rippe, Amelia Schafer, Louise Wellman, Louise Rodeman, Mrs. Hisener, Messrs. Henry and Fred Schafer, E. Neimeyer, Edward Scheiman, T Hargis, Henry Rippe Rodeman and Henry Wellman. At 12 o'clock a sumptuous supper was served

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Dazzling features of the Principal Buildings reproduced just as they were at the World's Fair Midway. Princess Rink tonight. Admission only 15c.

Notice to L. A. to O. R. C.

Members are requested to meet at the hall at 1:30 o'clock prompt Friday afternoon to make arrangements to attend the funeral of our departed sister, Mrs. Anderson.

By order of president.

MRS. J. C. CRAIG.
MRS E. ELLIOTT, Secretary.

The ladies of Fort Wayne should by all means attend the free lectures by Mrs. Marian Hartman Hunt, of Chicago, at the City Y. M. C. A, on next Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, the 21st.

Look for program in today's paper for the entertainment and social to be given at Trinity M. E. church this evening. Admission, including both, 10 cents.

A Starter—Tretheway Bros.' four days' sale of shoes.

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The women are not in it, at the Baptist church Valentine social and entertainment Friday evening. The men have it in charge and they assure you a good time 12 2

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PURE IMAGINATION

Keeps Some People Ill.

Many people imagine they can do things which they cannot; this is particularly true of habits like the tobacco or coffee habit. A person addicted to either of these habits may be one of such construction that the article used is poisonous to him, but they imagine they can use coffee (for instance) without any bad effect for "thousands of people do," they reason. So the weak feeling or stomach trouble, or headache, is charged, one day to the hot sun, the next day taking pains to avoid the sun, the old trouble shows up again, so as long as it is not the sun "it must be something I have eaten, it can't be coffee." Then follows some tests on diet, and still the trouble continues; every known reason will be thought of and experimented with, but they will not leave off the coffee, for they like it to well. To such it may be suggested that matters be looked squarely in the face. If you keep on with little ails caused by some unnatural cause you will surely come down sick unless the active cause is removed. Coffee contains poisonous alkaloids in small quantities which can be withstood by a perfectly healthy adult, but which seriously affect those who are a little below par physically, or children.

To such Postum Cereal comes as a boon; it has the color of Java coffee, creams up like thick Mocha and has a delicious fragrance and taste. When tasted critically it will be found to have a grain flavor that is crisp and pleasant. It is strictly a food drink, being made entirely of cereals (wheat &c.)

Postum Cereal will nourish and fatten adults and children and can be used at every meal with decided advantage.

The Catholic ladies of this city are especially invited to attend the free illustrated lectures at the City Y. M C. A, by Mrs. Marian Hartman Hunt, of Chicago, at 2:30 p. m, on the 18th, 19th and 21st.

Tonight? Yes, tonight; go to the Wayne Cadet band Valentine ball, at Schroeder's hall, and see the fun. Tickets, 50 cents. Ladies free.

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Chas. S. Bash, Vice President.
Ernest W. Cook, Secretary.

The Howard Wall company opened a four nights engagement at the Empire last night to standing room only. The company will appear in the "Little Wild Cat" tonight. Owing to the inclement weather last night the managers will admit ladies free tonight if accompanied by one paid ticket

Two snaps in shoes that can't be beat. See our ad. Tretheway Bros., 118 Calhoun street.

Attend the Valentine social at the Baptist church Friday night if you want to enjoy yourself as the men will have charge of it. 12:2

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Commencing January 14, for ten days only we will sell all $40, $35, $30 suits, or any suit in the store, for $22.50.

CHAS. J. ROMEIS,
124 Calhoun St,
Lau Building.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the members of the congregation of the Bethany Presbyterian church, of Fort Wayne, will hold a meeting at the usual place of worship, on the corner of Boone and Fry streets, in the city of Fort Wayne, Ind, on the 18th day of February, 1896, for the purpose of electing one trustee and transacting such other business as may legally come before the meeting. By order of

THE BOARD.

February 10, 1896 11 6t

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Lion, Arbuckle and Jersey Coffee, 20c lb, bulk coffee reduced from 2 to 3c lb; nice, fresh, 1 lb Mackerels only 8c; apiece; best 8c Rice, now 4c lb, 10c Rice, now 7c lb; Vanilla Cream Syrup, 20c gallon, formerly sold at 30c; Corn meal 4c sack; Buckwheat, 8c sack; all 5c soaps 3½c cake; Smoking and Chewing Tobacco reduced from 10 to 20c lb; Crackers, 3½c lb; Bulk Starch, 3½c lb; Oatmeal, 3c lb; Rolled Oats, 3c lb. Big reduction in all package Cereals Best 12c Sugar Corn, 5c can; all other Canned Goods 1 to 8c per can cheaper Queen Olives, 70c gallon; Sauer Kraut, 4c quart; Bulk Oysters, 25c quart; Flour, 45 and 90c

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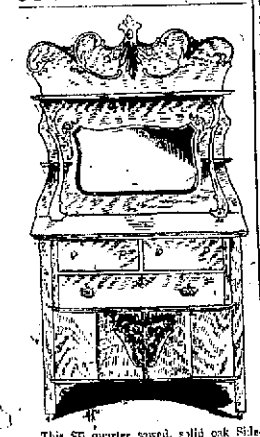

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HE GOT THERE!

The North Pole Has Been Reached

By Dr. Nansen, the Norwegian.

The Explorer Found Land There.

Is Now Returning Towards Civilization.

The Interesting Story of the Fitting out of the Expedition—Life of the Explorer.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 13.—A telegraphic dispatch received here today from Irkutsk, Siberia, says that a Siberian trader named Kouchnareff, who is the agent of Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, the Norwegian explorer, who sailed in the Fram June 24, 1892, for the Arctic regions, has received information to the effect that Dr. Nansen has reached the north pole, has found land there and is now returning towards civilization.

In April last the Figaro, of Paris, circulated a rumor that Dr. Nansen had found the north pole and that it is situated on a chain of mountains. It was then added that he had planted the Norwegian flag there. The story was generally regarded as being without foundation. On September 17 of last year, advices were received in London from the Danish trading station of Angmagsalik, on the east coast of Greenland, that a ship supposed to be Dr. Nansen's Fram, had been sighted at the end of July, stuck fast in an ice drift.

Finally on December 6, a dispatch from Christiana, Norway, stated that Dr. Nansen's wife received a letter by carrier pigeon reporting that the expedition was doing well. As no carrier pigeons were taken north by the Nansen party, this report evidently was incorrect, but published for what it was worth.

Dr. Fritjof Nansen is a distinguished scientist of Norway and an enthusiastic believer in the possibility of finding the North Pole. He is about thirty-five years of age. He left the university of Christiana in 1880 and two years later went on a sealing trip to Danmark straits, on the east coast of Greenland, in the Viking. Later in 1882 Nansen was appointed curator of the museum at Bergen, which position he retained until 1888, when he led a small expedition of six men to Greenland, constituting the southern part of that portion of the globe.

It was probably during this trip that Nansen conceived the plan of making an attempt to reach the North pole in the vessel constructed specially for such an undertaking. In any case, after his return to Norway, Nansen took the preliminary steps towards fitting out his expedition and the Fram was planned and constructed. She is classed as a three-masted schooner, but she had a 150 horse power steam engine in addition to her sails. Her displacement was 600 tons and her sides were so constructed as to force all ice meeting the vessel to pass underneath her, thus preventing "pinching" and "screwing." The Norwegian parliament allowed Nansen about $52,000 to fit out his craft and, in addition, he was assisted in his work by many private subscriptions, including one of $5,000 from King Oscar. The Fram was launched October 26, 1892, at Laurlik, near Christiana. A Norwegian paper, describing the fitting out of the Fram, said:

"Bread is the principal nourishment of Nansen and his people. The bread is a kind of biscuit, large and round, white and very compact. The ration of each man is to consist of four biscuits a day. This, at least, was given out when the expedition left Norway. Silk is used as the most suitable material for tents, as it shuts out the cold better than anything else. The cabin of Nansen's ship, the Fram, (forward), is heated by means of an English petroleum stove, which consumes three litres of petroleum per day. As the explorer has taken along with him a sufficient supply of this fuel to last him eight or nine years, there will be no lack of heating material. The library of the expedition consists of 1,000 books, half of which are scientific works and the other half novels, etc. The crew numbers twelve men and all occupy the cabin, which measures only thirteen feet square. There they dwell, eat and work. The suits they wear cannot be penetrated by water."

The expedition sailed from Christiana, June 24, 1893, the doctor's plan being to make for the New Siberian islands and head north until the Fram had become imbedded in the ice and would be compelled to drift along the west coast of any land which might be found. On August 23, 1893, Dr. Nansen sent a dispatch from Yardo, reporting that on the 2nd of that month he was about to sail into the Kara Sea and that the Fram had behaved splendidly up to that stage of the journey, especially in making her way through the ice.

A London dispatch dated March 4, of last year, announced that a letter dated Kjollefjord, February 24, had reached Hammerfest, Norway, announcing that a telegraph inspector at a station in the mountains, between Lebesy and Langfjord, had seen a balloon moving in a southerly direction and believed that it was possibly carrying dispatches from Dr. Nansen but until the foregoing dispatch no further news of the balloon of Dr. Nansen had been received.

Dr. Nansen's companions were: Capt. Otto Sverdrup, ship master; Sigurd Scott Hansen, lieutenant in the Norwegian navy and director of the astronomical meteorology and magnetic observations; Henrik Blessing, surgeon and botanist; Theodore C. Jacobsen, mate; Peder Hendriksen, harpooner, Anton A. Mundusen, chief engineer; Lars Petersen, second engineer; Hjalmar Johannesson, officer in the Norwegian army, fireman; Bernard Nordahl, electrician; Ivan Mogstad, carpenter, and Adolf Juell, steward.

ON MEXICAN SOIL

Will the Two Bruisers Pound Each Other.

The Plan is to Make a Rush for Some Unprotected Spot and Fight Before the Troops Arrive.

EL PASO, TEX., Feb. 13.—Many of the sports here are becoming so anxious about their chances of seeing the big fight that they last night declared their intention of watching the depots all of the night to avoid being left. Besides the sports, General Mabry's rangers are carefully watching every train that pulls out, with the intention of boarding it if they see any intention of pulling off the fight in Texas. Stuart has repeatedly assured the adjutant general that he has no intention whatever of pulling off the fight in Texas. At 2:30 this morning the Rangers discovered two cars loaded with what they thought to be carnival paraphernalia attached to a South Pacific freight train just pulling out for the west. Captain Hughes, of the Rangers, ordered the train delayed until permission had been obtained for four of his men to accompany it to the state line. This was granted and the Rangers rode away on the train.

It is practically certain now that the fight will be on Mexican soil somewhere. It will be a dash across the border and a run for home after the fight is over. If the Mexican troops can manage to reach the battle ground, the chances are that it will be more than a run. It will be a wild and tumultuous flight with the chances against those who are unable to swim the Rio Grande. There are places where an agile man may be able to jump across it and although nobody has ever done it, a terrified sport can do great things when he tries. Large delegations are expected from the east before the start is made for the battle ground tomorrow. More than 1,500 visitors are here now. The number at the ring side will not greatly exceed 2,000, if it reaches that number.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 13.—Very few people have left here for the prize fight, as popular belief is that the government will be able to prevent its taking place on Mexican soil.

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 13.—Jim Hall and Buck Connelly, seconds for Peter Maher, arrived from Las Cruces at noon today. Maher dropped off three miles out of the city and will come in tonight. Dan Stuart completed the arrangements for a special train today and the start for the battle ground will be made at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

WILL MAKE NEEDLES.

No More Need of Importing From Europe.

A Detroit Man Invents a Machine That Will Turn Out 2,500 Needles an Hour.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—A needle manufactory, the first in the United States, is soon to be started here, the needles to be made by a machine, the first of its kind, invented by Eugene Fontaine, of Detroit. Repeated tests have demonstrated its practicability, and it will turn out 2,500 needles an hour. They can be sold for fifty cents a thousand, as against $1.20 for English and seventy-five cents for German needles. The wire is kept on a spindle and is fed into the machine by the constant revolution of the spindle. Immediately upon being reeled into the machine the wire is cut into the lengths desired for the particular needle wanted. The short pieces of wire are then grasped in order by a clutch and the exposed end is brought into contact with a die, which stamps a blank through which the eye is to be made. A second die perforates this blank and a third die swages off the excess steel about the eyes. The needles then come in contact with a series of clutches, which take them from the first set of machinery, and, turning them end to end, expose them to emery wheels and sand belts. After the point has been made perfect the needle is reversed again to another series of clutches and the eye is polished. From the polishing belts the needles drop into carrying machines at the rate of forty a minute. Up to this time the capacity of the machine has been but thirty-eight a minute, but in time it is thought that the output will greatly exceed that number.

See the Midway at the Princess Rink. The most elaborate production of its kind in America. General admission only 15c.

HE LIVED HIGH.

Tramp John Harmens Finds Over $20,000

Which Had Been Buried by Train Robbers—Is Under Arrest and Confesses.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 13.—John P. Harmens, a tramp, fifty years of age, who by his own confession recovered over $20,000 that was hidden by train robbers a year ago, is locked up in the jail in this city. For months he has been living in San Francisco on the fat of the land from the proceeds of the money taken from the overland express near Sacramento by Jack Brady and Browning over a year ago. The prisoner has turned over to the police $2,000, which he had in the German Savings bank in San Francisco, $5,500 in coin, a diamond ring and a diamond collar button. Harmens found the money hidden under a clump of bushes near Sacramento, where the robbers who held up the train had buried it. It is known that the robbers obtained over $50,000 from Wells-Fargo & Co., but Harmens did not find all of the plunder. He says he obtained only $20,000, but it is believed that these figures are rather under the exact amount. The conclusion is based on the fact that when Brady, one of the bandits, confessed and took the officers to the place where the money was buried and only $6,000 was found. Harmens had evidently taken the rest of the treasure before the officers arrived.

Harmens was arrested in San Francisco Saturday and brought to the city last night. In appearance he is a typical tramp. Among his friends he is known as "Dutch Charlie." After he found the money he went to San Francisco where he loaned a great deal to responsible business men. But he was not miserly, as it is said that he lived at places undreamed of by the average tramp. He bought elegant clothes, making a trip to New York for the purpose and the tramp was transferred into a regular fashion plate.

AMENDMENT BEATEN.

The House Downs the Silver Coinage Measure.

Venezuela Accepts the Proposition of the United States Government—Other National News.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The amendment to the bond bill to coin the American product of silver was defeated in the house by a vote of 41 yeas to 118 nays.

Through Senor Andrade, its minister here, the government of Venezuela has notified Secretary Olney that it will respond affirmatively to the invitation of the Venezuelan boundary commission to submit all of the evidence in its possession touching the location of the true boundary line. Senor Andrade also stated that the officials of the government of Venezuela are now at work compiling this record and it will be forwarded to the commission at Washington as soon as possible. Presumably the Venezuelan government will be represented before the commission by an agent or counsel as suggested in the invitation, as the minister has strongly recommended this course.

In his annual report to the secretary of state, Clinton Furbish, director of the bureau of American republics, strongly urges that steps be taken to reconvene the representatives of the nations participate in the union in order to arrange a line of work for the bureau in the future. This is made necessary by the practical completion of the principal work of compiling and publishing the series of hand books on the various American republics. This was brought to a close with the issue of the hand book on Peru and the bureau is now preparing a general hand book, intended to be of interest to all of the countries. The work of preparing the code of commercial nomenclature, which is intended to be a help to commercial firms in transacting business with each other, is progressing well, although it is said it may be necessary to reset the first edition, because it was prepared on a scale that has proven to be inconsistent for business men. The plan adopted last year of setting the special publication of the bureau at a figure just above cost price has worked well and the director says that the business interests which are benefited make no complaint.

UPRISING AT SEOUL.

The Ill-Fated Capital of Corea Again the Scene.

Rebels Kill the Premier and Seven Officials and Drive the King Into Hiding.

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 13.—Advices just received from Seoul, capital of Corea, say that an uprising took place there on Tuesday last, February 11, during which the premier and seven officials were murdered. The dispatches add that the king and crown prince have sought shelter in the Russian legation. Twi Woo Kun is also there. It is stated that the king ordered the ministers to be put to death. A force of 200 Russian sailors and marines are now guarding the legation of that country.

Combination Horse Sale.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Feb. 13.—There are already over 250 entries for the combination sale of trotting bred horses, to be held here March 3-4, by S. J. Fleming. Prominent among the number is Courtman, 2:08¾; Tip O' Tip, 2:12¼; Lotta C, 2:16¼; Mary Anderson, 2:16; T. N. B., 2:19¼, and others. Among the various consignments are the entire stock of Edgwood farm, seventeen head from S. D. Pusett, of Rockville; fifteen from Frank McKeen and over forty fine drivers, matched teams, saddlers, coachers and buggy horses, all from the best stock in the country. Col. George A. Bain will officiate as auctioneer.

UP FOR HEARING.

Jackson and Walling Before a Cincinnati Police Judge.

They Waived Examination and Were Committed to Jail Without Bond Until February 18th.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 13.—When the patrol wagon drove to the jail door on Sycamore street this morning to take Jackson and Walling to the police court, there was a curious crowd on the sidewalk to catch such glimpse of the prisoners as could be had as they mounted the stairway from the jail door to the sidewalk and crossed the walk to the wagon. Both were handcuffed, but they entered into no conversation as they met for the first time for several days. They were driven quickly to the city hall and were placed in the cells until they should be called for their hearings. Meantime, a most unusual scene was witnessed in and about the court room. There was a wild struggle for admission into the little temple of police justice and all the hallways adjacent were jammed with men and women, who were unable to even look into the doorway of the court room. An extra detail of officers was necessary to keep the crowd from degenerating into a mob. It was a long time before the prisoners were brought up for examination, and the process was very brief. They both waived examination and were ordered to be committed to jail without bonds on charge of being fugitives from justice and the case was continued until February 18. While the commitments were being prepared, the men were returned to their cells. Sheriff Plummer, of Newport, will at once apply to the governor for a requisition for the prisoners.

William F. Wood, whose case was also set for today and who was out on bond, did not appear when called, and his bond was promptly forfeited. Subsequently he came in and his case was continued until February 28 and he was locked up until a new bond can be given. Both Jackson and Walling were represented by attorneys. The charges preferred against the prisoners were murder and fugitives from justice.

Upon suggestion of Attorney Mercy, who represented Walling, the charge of murder was withdrawn and the other charge left against them. It is understood this signifies on acquiescence by the Cincinnati authorities, on the theory that the murder was committed in Kentucky and that no resistance will be made to the demand for their removal to that state for trial. It has been thought all along that the prospect of lynching, which has generally been regarded as likely in Newport, will bring one or the other man to the point of furnishing the missing link in the chain of evidence, namely the cabman who drove them with their victim to the place of murder.

The grand jury of Campbell county, Ky., sitting in Newport this morning, reported to Judge Perkins indictments against Scott Jackson and Alonzo W. Walling for the willful murder of Pearl Bryan.

WILL CARNEGIE MOVE?

Indications Point to a Scheme of That Kind.

May Abandon His Pittsburg Shops and Establish Large Works on Lake Erie.

MASSILLON, Ohio, Feb. 13.—The reorganization of the Wheeling and Lake Erie railway, with A. G. Blair as president, and Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, as one of the new directors, is taken here to mean that the long contemplated plan of securing an inlet into Cleveland and Lorain will be undertaken. As the head and front of the great Johnson Steel and Iron works at Lorain, the ex congressman is in a position to be of great service to the railway, should it be considered desirable to build an extension. Another theory advanced by local railroad officials is that Tom L. Johnson's election to the directory of the Wheeling and Lake Erie points to the transfer of the Carnegie or some other iron interests from Pittsburg to Huron.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Wheat, Feb., 61½c; May, 66⅞c; June, 66⅞; July, 66½c.

Corn, Feb., 28½c; May, 30½c; July, 31½c; Sept., 32½c.

Oats, Feb., 19½c; May, 21½c; July, 21⅞.

Pork, Feb., $10.12½; May, $10.32½; July, $10.50.

Lard, Feb., $5.32½; May, $5.40; July, $5.37½.

Ribs, Feb., $5.17½; May, $5.35; July, $5.45.

Gladstone May Address Parliament.

GLASGOW, Feb. 13.—The Herald, of this city, says it learns that Mr. Gladstone is greatly inclined to stand again for parliament at the first available opportunity, in order to support the Armenians. The Herald adds that Mr. Gladstone does not conceal his conviction that both political parties in Great Britain have betrayed Armenia.

WILL ATTACK IT.

Attitude of Republicans Toward the Apportionment Act.

Will the Attacked if Governor Matthews Refuses to Call a Special Session of the Legislature.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 13.—The republican state central committee held an all day meeting here yesterday and extended its deliberations late into the night in the effort to adopt a policy in reference to the apportionment act of 1885, many of the party desiring to attack it in the courts and by having it declared unconstitutional force the governor to call the legislature in special session, while others took a contrary view and wished to have the statute remain as it is.

The latter believe that the party's chances are as good to control the legislature under the act of 1885 as they would be under another law, especially as a majority of the holdover senators are republicans. The politicians expressed their views before the committee and republican attorneys were then called in to give light on the legal aspect of the case, especially as to whether a decision could be secured before the fall election.

The lawyers said that the case could be delayed in the supreme court, and it was hardly probable that a decision could be secured in time to enable the legislature, even if the governor would call that body together, to enact a new law.

Last night the committee was again in session, and finally decided that the law should be attacked, in case the governor refused to call a special session of the legislature for the passage of a new apportionment act. There is much dissatisfaction in some quarters over the action of the committee.

KIDNAPER LOSES HIS NERVE.

Leaves His Unconscious Captive on the Roadside and Decamps.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 13.—Miss Ida Baker, living near Walton, was returning home from the house of a friend just after dark several days ago when she was overpowered by someone and forced into a buggy and driven five miles from home. There she was left on the roadside and did not regain consciousness for several hours. When she returned home and related the story and showed marks of the struggle with the kidnaper, the people were not inclined to credit her story. Her guardian, however, employed a detective and the latter has been working on the case. He has discovered that the kidnaping was planned for the purpose of forcing Miss Baker into a marriage that was distasteful to her, and that the man who was employed to seize her and convey her to the person who sought the matrimonial relation repented of his part in the affair when he failed to arouse the unconscious victim, and then placed her upon the roadside. It is claimed that the whole affair will be made public in the early arrest of the parties, who stand high in the rural community.

MRS. LEASE A PREACHER.

Will Preach the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man.

WICHITA, KAS., Feb. 13.—Mary E. Lease, who has nearly recovered from her recent severe illness, has decided to enter the ministry. The announcement of this new step has created great surprise here, as her life up to the present time has been given up entirely to politics. Mrs Lease says that while hovering between life and death in Minnesota she made a vow that if her life was spared she would become a preacher of the Gospel. "My creed," said she, "is the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man." She was raised a Catholic, but a few years ago united with the Christian church, and she will preach for that denomination. Her initial sermon will be preached next Sunday morning from the pulpit of the Central church of Christians in this city. She will not abandon the lecture field.

TURN THE TABLES.

Indiana Saloonkeepers Bring Suit Against Mayor and Sheriff.

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., Feb. 13.—Gilbert J. Phillips and James Whitcomb, two saloonkeepers who were prosecuted during the late liquor war in this city, today turned the tables on Mayor Enos and City Marshal Sparks and his deputy, George W. Neal, by bringing suit in the circuit court against them for $10,000 damages for false imprisonment, the grounds being that the mayor had no jurisdiction to fine them $40 for the offense charged and that the mittimus was without authority of law because the judgment upon which it was based was void. The Good Citizens' league has employed three firms of able attorneys to defend the mayor and his officers in the suits.

Indiana Inventors.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 13.—Patents have been issued to Indiana inventors as follows: John G. Coffee, Decatur, lover lifting jack; Geo. E. Hoag, Tell City, lumber drier; Philip Hollerd, Mulberry, feeder for clover hullers; Jas. B. Joslin, Muncie, corn planter; Lemuel Middleton, Russiaville, fence post; Thos. Nesom, Indianapolis, fifth wheel for vehicle; Valentine C. Rochell, Fort Wayne, lawn sprinkler; J. Scantler, Galveston, pole or pen fixer. Mahlon Wells Haughville, car coupling. Burt H. Whiteley, Muncie, aparatus for melting iron.

The Majesty Sunk.

SOUTHAMPTON, Feb. 13.—While the American line steamer Paris, Captain Watkins from New York on February 5, was docking here at 6 o'clock this morning she came into collision with the steamer Majesty, belonging to the Isle of Wight. The Majesty was sunk, but all the members of her crew were saved. Divers have commenced an inspection of the rudder of the Paris in order to ascertain if it was damaged by the collision.

THE MIDWAY.

A Pleasing Entertainment at the Princess Rink.

A Realistic Production of the Famed Midway With Its Many Sacred, Unique Attractions.

People who visited the world's fair and enjoyed the peculiar sights that were to be found on the midway can see the same thing over again at the Princess rink. The Midway pleasance is reproduced there on a smaller scale but true in detail and a visitor can not help but enjoy it.

This entertainment is being given by the military companies of this city. It is under the direction of Mr. J. Allen Whyte, of Chicago, who has a full set of scenery representing the various buildings and villages. Major J. E. Miller is general manager. The participants in the entertainment are members of the military companies and a large number of gentlemen, and ladies of the city.

Booths are arranged on the two sides of the interior of the rink. In front of each is a windy fellow who cries out advertising the attractions that are to be seen within, thus reproducing another main feature of the midway, viz: the unearthly noise.

The booths and villages are all in competent hands and visits to them are entertaining.

The participants in the Midway Pleasance entertainment are as follows:

Irish Village—Mrs. Ahern, manager; Misses May Ahern, Allie Quinlan, Eva Schleffer, Tad McClure, Hannah Donohue, Messrs. Emil Erickson, Ernest Barr, J. F. Weidemeier, John W. Peckham, Charles Hauck, fiddler. The colleens are all costumed in green.

Beauty Show—F. H. Hilgeman, manager: William Walda, James Leubler, Fred Archer, George Feustel, Frank Wadsworth, Harry Alderman, Lou Lancaster.

Hagenbeck's Animal Show.—C. E. Rhoades, manager; Dick Miller, crier. The rest of the company here is composed of rare animals from the wild and wooly precincts of Centlivre's park, Bass' farm, Prairie switch and Columbia street.

New England Home.—Mrs John W. Hayden, manager; Mrs. T. B. Ample, Mrs M. R. Gorsline, Mrs. McKean, Mrs. Holmes, Misses Uselman, Chinworth and Snider. Uncle Sam and George Washington are also represented. Here the ladies serve excellent coffee, doughnuts and pie.

Old Vienna.—Mrs. Buchanan, manager; Misses Eva Wagner, Clara Harding, Tena Weldon, Lizzie Lapp and Amelia Koepf; Messrs. G. E. Ibel, Ed. Shoch and Ed Timmous.

Dahomey Village—E. C. Kehler, manager; Morgan and Zero, acrobats; Messrs. Barr, Schane, Riley, Greenick, Potter, Heffelfinger, Spitler, Ranke and Yeley. Here is performed the war dance and other antics of the Dahomeyans.

Turkish Village—Mrs. Frank Alderman, chairman, Mrs Geo. Crane and Mrs. Gallagher; Misses Laura Snowberger, Lillie Keag, Eva Jones and Martha Housher; Messrs. E. C. Johnson, John Anderson, Ed Tigges, Joe Gerardin and George B. Taylor. Frank and Willie Jeffrey, both small boys, do some clever acrobatic performing. This is a most interesting place. Turkish goods, pipes, etc., are sold here.

Moorish Palace—W. McLeod, manager; Misses Georgie Smith, Nina Stroek, Cora Sayner, Ethel Griswold and Verne Askins; Messrs John Spanberg, Chas. Greenick, F. Arney, J. Jackson, B. McFarren, John Herriman, W. S. Beaston and Clyde Klinger. The entertainment here is novel and interesting.

Japanese Booth—Mrs. J. B. Fonner, manager; Mrs. F. G. Thompson, Misses Abbie Moore, Eliza Burnett, Sue Burnett, Emma Shoch, Jessie Neireiter, Stella Mulqueen and May Jones. The pretty Jap girls sell Japanese goods and serve tea.

Streets of Cairo—O. S. Jones, manager; Misses May Scarr, Grace Pelhamus, Daisy Jarrett and Bertha Gaeley. Messrs E. C. Buck, W. H. Ward, Frank Alderman, G. Depner, J. Greer, H. McCullom, C. Scowberger, Robert Bartell, J. Didier and B. Jacobs. Here is given a true reproduction of the Bedouin Arab wedding ceremony.

German Village—Paul Hoppe, manager; Misses Susie Boehrs, E. Piepenbrink, Bertha Welter, Hulda Haberkorn, Sophia Bloch, Susie Wagner and Amelia Haberkorn, Messrs John Koepf, Frank Reinking and R. H. Claymiller. Weinerwurst, rye bread and coffee are served by the fraulein.

Prof. Arthur Finch, the World's fair prize harmonica player, is an attraction of the entertainment.

Capt. J. B. Fonner is in the ticket office and Will Cleary and A. F. Reinking attend the door.

Music is furnished by the First Regiment band.

The Midway Pleasance is an interesting place to spend an evening.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Clark, No 172 Taylor street—a son. Mr. Clark is the Broadway barber.

See Trelhaway Bros' ad. it's a week.

A $3.50 shoe for $2.00.

DISTINGUISHED VISITOR

Supreme Foreman Tate, of the A. O. U. W., Coming.

He Will Be Present at an Open Meeting to be Held Next Saturday Evening.

A telegram was received by George R. Hench last evening from T. D. Neal, of Franklin, Ind., grand master workman of the A. O. U. W., of Indiana, that Supreme Foreman J. G. Tate, of Nebraska, will be in Fort Wayne Saturday. An open meeting will be held in his honor at the hall of Summit City lodge No. 36, on the corner of Calhoun and Superior streets, Saturday evening. It will be a joint meeting of lodges Nos. 19, 6 and 50. Committees are arranging for the event.

No admittance fee to this meeting will be charged and the public will be cordially welcomed.

Supreme Foreman Tate is a fluent and able speaker and as he will address the meeting, those who attend are sure of being entertained in an excellent manner. Mr. Tate has been attending the meeting of the grand lodge of Kentucky at Louisville this week and next week he will be present at the meeting of the grand lodge of Indiana, which will be held at South Bend. He is one of the most prominent A. O. U. W. men in the country.

A number of members of the Fort Wayne lodges will attend the grand lodge at South Bend next week. Among them will be the following: From No. 19: H. S. Vreeland, Dr. J. W. Younge, E. B. Smith, S. S. Scoville, and J. J. Bauer; No. 36: E. F. Halber, O. V. Eliot, G. R. Hench, N. Conover, F. E. Purcell, Julius Koch; No. 50: George Ashley, James Velvick, George Mong.

Mr. Scoville is a member of the grand lodge committee on credentials. Mr. Hench now holds the position of grand overseer in the grand lodge and his friends are positive that when the election occurs he will be elevated to a still higher place.

The grand lodge opens next Tuesday and continues two days.

OYSTER SOUP

Severely Poisons C. B. Beaver and Family.

Mr. Beaver and Son, Hugh, Were Very Sick, But All are Now Out of Danger.

Charles B. Beaver and family, of Lakeside, were severely poisoned Monday evening by oysters which they ate for supper. Not long after the meal Mr. Beaver, who is still confined to his home from the effects of the accident which befell him several weeks ago, began feeling sick. He suffered severe pains in the stomach. His son, Hugh, was afflicted in the same manner.

Mrs. Beaver and son, Harry, had partaken but lightly of the oysters and they did not suffer as much as did Mr. Beaver and Hugh.

Since Monday Mr. Beaver has been quite sick and Hugh has been barely able to attend to his duties at the United States express office. No danger exists at present, however, but it was a rather serious case of poisoning for a time.

MUSICAL EVENTS

Given at the Wayne Street and Trinity M. E. Churches.

The linden quartet, assisted by other musical talent, will give a concert tomorrow evening at the Wayne street M. E. church, for the benefit of the musical fund of the church. The program will be as follows:

Organ solo ..... Mrs. Frank Stouder
Part song—"Row Little Boat" ..... The Linden Male quartet
Reading—"Out of the Fire" ..... Mrs. Robert Harding
Solo—"A Summer's Night" ..... Mrs. Harry Staub
Piano duet ..... Misses Schurey and Hill
Song ..... The Lindens
Violin solo ..... Miss A. Lillian Schlueter
Duet—"The Two Sailors" ..... Messrs. Curtis and Griffith
Reading—"The Great Diamond" ..... Mr. Schlueter
Song—"Sing a First Old Time Song" ..... Mrs Harry Staub
Piano duet ..... Misses Schurey and Hill
Song ..... The Lindens
Organ solo ..... Mrs. Frank Stouder

An entertainment will be given this evening at Trinity M. E. church. The following program will be rendered:

Piano solo ..... Miss Lottie Boring
Recitation ..... Miss Cecil Cook
Duet ..... Misses Jessie Evans and Emma Barnes
Pantomime ..... Mesdames Keegan
Solo ..... Miss Mabel Kerr
Recitation ..... Miss Florence McMillen
Pianologue ..... Miss Jennie McCullough and Charlie Fortune
Violin and piano duet ..... Leland Arthur Leslie
Dialogue—"Mrs. Gray Gives a Mortgage" ..... Mesdames Keegan, Gray, Hicks and Mr. Leslie
Tableaux ..... The church and the saloon

THING & CO.'S

Rubber Prices for Unclean Weather.

Misses' first quality rubbers, 14c.

Ladies' rubbers, 22c

Men's $2.50 light-weight rubber boots, $1.98

Boys' $2.00 pure gum rubber boots, $1.19

Men's $1.25 Arctics 98c.

Men's solid work shoes, 99c.

If you need bargains in shoes and rubbers, be at Thing & Co.'s Mid-winter Clearance Sale, 32 Calhoun St. Large Red Boot.

Big Enough for a Bear.

WINCHESTER, Ind., Feb. 12.—Charles Kelley, one of the leading merchants of this city, has a dog of the English Lake breed, that is attracting much attention. The animal is only nine months old, but it measures five feet, eleven and one half inches from tip to tip, is thirty five and one-half inches high and weighs 161 pounds, although thin to flesh. The dog is still rapidly growing, and it is said this breed of dogs do not get their growth until they are two years old.

IS INSANE.

Jared C. Strong, Ex-Superintendent of Public Schools

Will Be Sent to the Asylum—Fred Heyrieth Acquitted—News in the Courts.

Justices of the Peace Bullerman and Franes and Doctors W. H. Myers and W. F. Schrader are holding an inquest in regard to the insanity of Jared C. Strong, who, during an early day, was the superintendent of the public schools of this city. Mr. Strong is seventy-seven years of age, and during the last several years has been in feeble health. He has exhibited traits of insanity for some time and lately has become so violent that his relatives had to send him to the Hope hospital. He imagines that his body and his clothes are covered with insects and that they will be converted into wealth. Another one of his hallucinations is that he is associated with Queen Victoria in the government of Great Britain and that he frequently converses with her. He is under the impression that the queen has sent for him and that he must go to her. At such times, if he is restrained, he becomes violent and threatens to kill himself and also those about him. Yesterday he became very violent at his home, where his daughter is teaching a class of scholars, and he could not be quieted in any manner whatever. The patrol wagon was sent for and he was taken to the Hope hospital. The old gentleman will be adjudged insane and sent to the insane asylum. He is well known and for many years has been highly esteemed by his large circle of friends.

Andrew Gardella sues Giovani Pesra in the superior court to recover $5,000 from the latter for alienating from him the affections of his wife. Breen & Morris are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Harlin Kennedy was fined $1 and costs by Justice Bullerman for provoking Charles Vought.

Philemon Colerick and Martha Eliza Bank, John T. Dougall and Jennie Madge Lathrop, John M. Reed and Sadie M. Warner, Herman Boedecker and Minnie Fritz, Herman Block and Clara Sturke, Herman R. Sheets and Bertha M. DeHaven have been licensed to wed.

Fred Ryerlien was acquitted of the charge of forgery in the circuit court this morning on account of a faulty affidavit. He was rearrested on another affidavit and will have a hearing tomorrow.

Louis Ganger was acquitted of the charge of embezzlement at Montpelier yesterday. He was defended by Will Ryan, of this city.

The case of the Journal company against M. E. Burns is on trial before Judge O'Rourke and a jury in the circuit court.

THE PLAYERS

Who Will Compose the Fort Wayne Ball Team.

A Strong Club Will Be Made Up—Will Play Ball in Lakeside—Grand Stand to Cost $2,000.

Manager William Meyer says the inter state base ball league is progressing nicely and that final arrangements will be completed at the meeting to be held at Pittsburg next Saturday.

The Fort Wayne team will be a strong one. It is to be composed of a number of reserve players from the Cleveland league team and a few others outside. Those who are to come from Cleveland are George Tebeau, first baseman; Tom Delehanty and William Carrick, baseman; J. H. Swain and Frank Wilson, pitchers; Roma Gray, Harry Blake and Ed Greninger, fielders; Ed O'Meara catcher. Ed Boland, of this city, will also be a catcher on the team. Two or three more players will be signed.

George Tibeau will be captain and manager of the Fort Wayne club.

Plans have been prepared for the grand stand. It will be a good, convenient structure, seating 1,200 people and it will cost $2,000.

It has been decided to continue the ball park in Lakeside instead of moving to Spy Run avenue.

Tuesday evening a very enjoyable surprise party was tendered Mrs. T. F. Drake at her home, No. 151 Wallace street, by her many friends in remembrance of her birthday anniversary. It was a most pleasant event. Conversation and card playing were the main features of the evening. At 10 o'clock an elaborate lunch was served. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames C. Hilton, H. Nieuwonger, J. Kickley, Cour, W. Gates, G. Miller, F. J. Miller, T. Comparet, White, Laurenz, Mesdames McDole, Gretzinger, Campbell, Adams, Hutchinson, Horning, Cont, Lyons; Misses Comparet, Cour, Mrs. C. Lyons, W. E. Wass.

Mrs. A. Anderson, wife of the well known Nickel Plate conductor, died at St. Joe hospital at 1 o'clock today. She had been ailing from cancer for about two years, but had been confined to her bed for only about six weeks. She was forty years of age and leaves a husband, one daughter, Mrs. Frank Sweet, and two sons, Clarence and Bertie. Mrs. Anderson was a member of the Ladies auxiliary to the Order of Railway Conductors.

Miss Stella Weyer, of St. Louis, is visiting the family of Dr. Modlin.

OVERLOOKED.

There Are Patent Medicines and Remedies, Without Number

For Every Disease and Affliction But ...

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The Pyramid Pile Cure is the only remedy, except a surgical operation, which immediately relieves and permanently cures every form of piles.

It is sold by druggists at 50 cents and $1 or by mail from Pyramid Co., Albion, Mich.

"I'se in Town, Honey!"

Pancake Flour

A combination of the three staffs of life -*Wheat, Corn and Rice.*

When your wife makes pancakes she can make them right and easily if she uses Aunt Jemima's. And when properly covered with butter and syrup there's no better breakfast dish on earth. Beware of imitation. Sold only in *red packages.*

HERE'S OUR GUARANTEE.

Buy a package of Genuine Aunt Jemima's Self-Rising Pancake Flour, and if you do not find it makes the best cakes you ever ate, return the empty box to your grocer, he (or your name and the grocer) will refund the money and charge it to us. Sole Made, Prepared and Manufactured only by

R. T. DAVIS MILL CO., St. Joseph, Mo.

Send us 4c in stamps for Life History of Aunt Jemima and a set of her Pickaninny dolls.

A. HATTERSLEY & SON,

PLUMBERS !

STEAM AND

GAS FITTERS.

48 East Main Street.

Fort Wayne, Ind.

The Collapse Of Values.

Our Annual Inventory recently taken—indicates an overstock in many departments.

During February we abandon all consideration of Profits and have fully determined to reduce this overstock.

Buy now for present and future necessities. You'll find it the greatest paying investment you ever made.

Look through our Children's department. Boys' High Grade Reefer Coats that sold at $5, $6 and $7, now selling at $3 98

Former $2.50 and $3.00 Reefer Coats for boys, ages 4 to 15, now $1.85.

Cloth Leggings for boys that sold at $1.00, now 50 cents.

Sizes are somewhat broken in our Overcoat department, but surprises await you here in prices. The greatest OVERCOAT PICNIC you ever enjoyed. During Febuary we will sell

$6.00 Overcoats for $3 85.
$8.00 Overcoats for $5 85.
$10 00 Overcoats for $6.85.
$12.00 Overcoats for $8.85.
$15.00 Overcoats for $10. 85.
$18.00 Overcoats for $11.85.
$25.00 Overcoats for $16.85.

Men's Furnishings.

We are particularly overstocked here and during this month shall unload if phenomenally low prices will be an inducement to buy now and seasonable merchandise at 30 per cent. less than actual values.

50-Cent Lined Working Gloves now 25 cents.
50 Cent Jersey Knit Gloves now 25 cents.
50 and 75 Cent Underwear now 38 cents.
$1.00, $1 25 and $1.50 Underwear now 71 cents.

Anticipate Your Wants. - - - Buy Now.

Columbus clock coupons for the amount of your purchase given during this sale.

Lehman's U.S.

34 and 36 Calhoun Street,

Foellinger Block.

We close at 6 P. m., Saturdays excepted.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

THURSDAY, FEB 13, 1896

TONIGHT.

MIDWAY PLAISANCE—Production of the World's Fair Street by the Fort Wayne Military Companies at Princess Rink

EMPIRE THEATER—The Howard Wall Comedy Company in "The Midnight Alarm"

CALVARY U. B. CHURCH—Revival meetings

SONS OF FREEDOM—At K. of L. Hall.

FORD ZOUAVES—Regular Drill

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY—Social at the hall on West Berry street.

OCCULT SCIENCE SOCIETY—Regular Meeting at A. O. U. W. Hall on Court Street

ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS—Division No 1.

LODGES—Summit City Lodge No 36, A. O. U. W.; Harmony Lodge, No. 19, I. O. O. F.; Wayne Tent No. 51, K. O. T. M.; Liberty Council Knights of Columbus; Columbian Council No 3, Order of Chosen Friends, Order of Pericleans, Union Veteran Legion; Ladies' Aid Society, Auxiliary to Col. E. S. Walker Camp, S. of V.

THE leap year business has begun in earnest—a Nebraska man is suing a young woman for breach of promise.

MEXICO will confer an everlasting favor on civilization if she stops that Maher Fitzsimmons prize fight tomorrow.

ONE woman in a town near Bangor, Me., is being laughed at because she recently went into a drug store and asked for some of that 'Monroe doctrin."

THE setting apart of a day at the meeting of the American Wheelmen's league at Baltimore for the discussion of the good roads question was one of the many "signs of the times" which point to the general improvement of public highways all over the United States.

WE are told that "176 Armenian towns have been blotted out by the Turks." Many of these were flourishing manufacturing towns, the most prosperous in the empire. As one of the objects was loot or spoils, the Turks have had a rich treat. If arrangements are not made to wipe the Turks off the map there will be no justice done.

WITH last night's and today's fall of snow covering the ground, it is probably out of place to talk about the approach of spring, but spring is coming, nevertheless, pretty rapidly. It will be here in a little over a month, and with its coming the board of health ought to be prepared to push a thorough cleaning of the alleys and other places where the filth of the winter months accumulates. The city should be placed in a first-class sanitary condition. Precautions of these kinds guard us against the diseases that filth always breeds.

GOVERNOR MCKINLEY was given a great boom as a republican presidential candidate at Chicago last night by the banquet given by the Marquette club at the auditorium, in commemoration of the birth of Abraham Lincoln. Major McKinley was the guest of honor and he responded to the toast "Abraham Lincoln." His speech was a masterpiece of oratory, as his efforts always are, and he was cheered to the echo by his 1,000 admiring, enthusiastic friends present. The Lincoln celebration at Chicago was made a McKinley demonstration and the favorite republican son of Ohio got out of the affair one of the biggest booms as a presidential candidate that he has had since the new year began.

THE legislative muddle in Kentucky regarding the choosing of a senator, which is but a repitition of many similar senatorial muddles that have occurred during the last few years, ought to be an argument in favor of the election of United States senators by popular vote. The bill of Senator Turpie to make this the constitutional method of selecting senators would solve this problem of deadlocks, and, after all, would probably be the best way. The people ought to vote directly for United States senators just as they do for congressmen.

THE anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, our first martyred president, was celebrated in many of our cities yesterday and encomiums of his worth as a citizen and his services to his country in its greatest hour of need were paid to his immortal name. The country does well to cherish the memory of Lincoln. No American since Washington has had such a gigantic work to do as that done by Lincoln. The existence of the United States today is the best possible tribute to him. He saved the union, and he helped to make it worth saving. In honoring Lincoln we do no injustice to Washington and other great and good men in the history of this nation. We love them all. We cherish their memory and we will honor them for what they have done for the principles of liberty and the welfare of the people of the United States.

TOMORROW will be Valentine day, and here in Fort Wayne the day will not be passed unobserved by the young folks, and many of the old folks also. It is a day for the sending of missives, some sweet and some awful cruel, and the mail carriers and the postoffice clerks will be kept busy. The day is looked forward to with dread by the postoffice people and the mail carriers, as it means a flood of letters and a hard day's work. It is not definitely known what particular Saint Valentine is thus honored on the 14th of February. As usual, there is a disagreement among the wise heads on the subject and it has been converted into such a scientific muddle of conflicting saints and dates that the question will never be solved. It is, however, of great antiquity and the present practice of sending out cards on this day is but a corruption of the practice in vogue among the ancient Romans.

The Queen Not for War.

The speech of the queen, delivered in the opening of the English parliament, which was published in THE SENTINEL, opening with the general declaration that "I continue to receive from other powers assurances of their friendly sentiments," evades, as far as possible, any pressing international issues, or refers to them only in the most cautious terms. It is necessary to take this evasive tone into consideration to appreciate the paragraph relating to the United States, which follows immediately upon the statement of the boundary agreement with Russia, and is more distinct than any of the paragraphs that follow it:

"The government of the United States of America have expressed a wish to co-operate in the termination of the differences which have existed for many years between my government and the republic of Venezuela upon the question of the boundary between that country and the colony of British Guiana. I have expressed sympathy with the desire to come to an equitable arrangement and I trust that further negotiations will lead to a satisfactory settlement.

It will be observed that while this is sufficiently indefinite, it has at least a negative significance of very decided character. It entirely ignores any misunderstanding with the United States, and treats the later Olney-Salisbury correspondence as though it had not been. The desire of the United States to co operate in the termination of the differences with Venezuela is acknowledged, not only without expressed dissent, but with an apparent expression of sympathy, and with the expectation "that further negotiations will lead to a satisfactory settlement."

This is very different from the tone of hostile resentment at our unwarranted interference that the New England college professors and other alarmed Anglo-Americans must have been expecting. It is really quite distressing that all these good people should have wasted so much good sympathy upon the queen and Lord Salisbury and so much reproof upon the president and Mr. Olney, only to find that the queen is not insulted after all, and has not taken the president's message as a menace.

The inference from this is that the adjustment of the Venezuela dispute had best be left to the responsible executive representatives of the governments concerned. They have had all the rhetorical assistance they can possibly need, and the desire of reaching the adjustment mutually satisfactory and honorable will certainly not be promoted by any more fool talk whether in congress or parliament, in the newspapers or at public meetings. The position of this country is sufficiently well understood by the English government, and the polite and pacific tone of this official deliverance is entitled to respectful acknowledgement.

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ONLY RUN DOWN.

Many People Complain of Being Out of Order.

By No Means Sick, But They Don't Feel Just Right.

Are Weak, Nervous, Tire Easily and Work with Effort.

There are numberless people who do not call themselves sick, and yet who feel weak, nervous, languid or tired; they have lost their vim, power of endurance and ambition to work. They feel miserable, not because they are actually sick, but because they are not well.

People complain that they are weak, nervous, tired and exhausted; that they have a poor or variable appetite, no strength, no nerve, they become irritable, cross, blue and discouraged. In some cases there are pains and aches in various parts of the body, and there is often indigestion, dyspepsia, belching of wind, dull, cloudy head, and general dispirited feeling. Sleepless, restless, wakeful nights follow. The brain tires easily and there may be a tendency to drowsiness during the day. Neglect of these symptoms results in excessive nervous prostration or paralysis, with numbness, trembling, cold feet and legs, prickling sensation and weakness and weariness of the limbs.

MISS BERTHA A. ELMER.

Look to the symptoms in time, nervous sufferers, to avert the dread results. Do as did Miss Bertha A. Elmer, of Etna, N. H., who says:

"About two years ago last fall I was obliged to leave off work on account of ill health. The doctor told me I had overworked. I suffered from severe headaches and grew so poor and pale that people told me if my eyes were closed they would believe me dead.

"My nerves seemed all unstrung. I suffered in this way all winter and there was nothing that seemed to help me. At last my mother persuaded me to try Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. I took one bottle and that helped me and I decided to try another. I took three bottles in all, after which I was as well, or even better than I had ever been before.

"Please publish this testimonial if it would be likely to help others, for I feel sure Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy saved my life."

Remember that this marvelous medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, will make you strong and well, that it is the discovery of the successful specialist in nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th St., New York City, who can always be consulted without charge, personally or by letter, in regard to the action of the medicine. Try it; you will not regret it.

STATE NEWS.

Benjamin Kelly, twenty six years old, of Connersville, was found dead in bed.

The four-year old daughter of James Malott, of Onward, was roasted to death by falling on a hot stove.

The warden's residence at the prison south has been overhauled by the idle convicts, and is now a handsome and well appointed place.

William Hoover, engineer, near Warren, permitted the water to run too low in his boiler, and there was an explosion which scalded him to death.

During religious services in what is known as the White House church, at Fairmount, the congregation, which is undenominational, Palmer Morgan, over-excited with religious frenzy, suddenly died.

In the circuit court at Winamac, the administrator of the estate of Theodore Hancock, who was killed in the streets of Winamac by the Panhandle "Flyer," has taken judgment against the railroad company for $4 000 damages.

Julian C. Wentworth, editor and publisher of the Royal Center Record, issued an apology to his patrons because of his intoxicated habits and pledged reform. Then he continued to dissipate, and finally disappeared. Ernest Thomas and John Ray, of Royal Center, creditors for $450, will take charge of the paper.

Mrs. James Endwhistle and Miss Ella Evans, near Rockville, while attempting to ford Raccoon creek, were carried down by the flood and their horse drowned. The buggy caught on a log and was partially submerged, and in this position they remained for five hours before being rescued. Both were unconscious when found.

Judgment against the defendants was entered yesterday at Crown Point against thirteen of the Hammond saloonkeepers, arrested for violating the law, no defense being made. A continuance was then granted until the supreme court passes upon the Nicholson law, the fines to be paid in case the law is held to be constitutional.

A business man of Kokomo addressed a letter to J. Frank Hanley, Washington, D. C., but forgot to place upon the envelope "M. C." indicating that Mr. Hanley was a member of congress. Yesterday the postoffice authorities notified the Kokomo gentleman that no such man as J. Frank Hanley was known in Washington and asking for a more specific address.

A VALENTINE PARTY.

Some Novel Ideas That Will Prove Entertaining.

If you are going to have a valentine party, here are a few hints which may enliven the evening. You can go in for decorations as deeply as you choose and find plenty of appropriate symbols that will suggest the sentiment of the holiday. A flying Cupid with bandaged eyes may be suspended from the chandelier.

Roses of deep red, love's own color, may be distributed around as freely as you choose or as your purse will allow. Drape the mantel with smilax, caught up with red ribbons tied in true lovers' knots. Pasteboard hearts pierced by gilt arrows can be bought or manufactured at home, and form most attractive decorations. A pair or two of turtle doves should not be forgotten, for they add much to the general effect.

In pairing off your guests for the evening you can manage to have a lot of fun. One method which is sure to put every one in good humor and break down all the barriers of formality is as follows:

Hang a sheet in a doorway between two rooms. With charcoal or ink draw a grotesque face on one side and cut holes for eyes. Let the ladies go into the room behind the curtain while the gentlemen remain in the other. Then let the ladies each stand behind the face on the curtain and look through the apertures. The men are then allowed each a chance of guessing who is the owner of the eyes which are peering through at them. The guessers whisper the name to the unknown fair one, and if it is right, she retires and he has found his partner for the game of hearts which follows. If not, the lady winks saucily, and he must try his luck another time. Underneath the face you may write something like this:

> I'm looking at you, love,
> With eyes that are true, love.
> If you guess these eyes are mine,
> I will be your Valentine.

Another novel way of mating your guests is to get as many card valentines as you have guests. Have them in duplicate pairs, and put each in an envelope, one of a pair in an envelope for a gentleman, the other in one for a lady. As the guests arrive hand each an envelope and let them find the person who has the duplicate.

ST. VALENTINE.

He Was Gentle, Charitable and Good, but He Was Beheaded.

The earliest authorities say that St. Valentine was a bishop, gentle, charitable and benignant, whose tongue was marvelously persuasive in convincing the benighted pagans of the errors of their ways. He labored hard and earnestly in his good work, but, alas, his zeal did not suit the pleasure of the authorities, and after being cruelly beaten with clubs he was beheaded. This happened in the reign of Marcus Aurelius Claudius, on the 14th day of February, somewhere about the year 270, but after his abrupt taking off the canonization of the good bishop followed, and his name has been a household word ever since. It is a singular circumstance that the new saint took the disease of epilepsy under his peculiar patronage during the first of his saintly career, while now it would appear that his jurisdiction confines itself exclusively to the domain of the heart.

How did the good saint become responsible for the flood of tender sentiment which is annually poured forth under shelter of his venerable name? A few only of the reasons will be given. One of the simplest explanations was that the birds selected their mates on Feb. 14. This theory was popular for some time until a heartless naturalist knocked it into smithereens by proving that, as a matrimonial season, birds didn't care any more for the 14th than for the 13th or 15th.

Another reason assigned was that St. Valentine, being a man of love and charity, it was natural to suppose he would patronize those virtues. Perhaps the best solution is the following: With the dawning of the Christian era pagan rites, pagan ceremonies and pagan feasts began to disappear. Some of the feasts, however, were merged into Christian holidays. The festival of the Lupercalia was the one on which the Romans did honor to Pan and Juno, not only with the banquet, the dance and the drama, but by a peculiar ceremony in which the young men drew from a box of billets, each inscribed with maidens' names, each bachelor devoting himself for 12 months to the lady falling to his lot. In the natural order of events the Lupercalia became St. Valentine's day, and the drawing of billets was so agreeable a custom that the youthful blood rebelled against the annihilation. It was therefore permitted to continue and from that time to this, with more or less variation to suit the times and the people, St. Valentine and Cupid have been on very intimate terms of relationship.

From Far Brazil.

The custom of sending valentines is confined to no one country, but obtains in some shape nearly the world over. Deep in the heart of Brazil, where one would think the day had no fame at all, is a large convent. It stands in a land of cloudless skies, gorgeous birds and beautiful flowers. The feathers of the birds and the leaves of the flowers are so mingled by the deft fingers of the nuns who inhabit the convent that they are in great demand for valentines in England and other countries. They find their way, with valentines made from the delicate moss from the bottom of the Mediterranean sea, to the fashionable bookshops of London, where on the 14th of February, they pass to the parlors of the beauties of the season.

More than one young girl has opened on the auspicious day a box covered with postage stamps to find therein a real South American humming bird, holding in its tiny beak a billet inscribed with the sentiments of the day. These unique valentines are costly and of surpassing beauty, and the nuns of the Brazilian convent put many a penny into the urn of charity by their delicate ingenuity.

It Often Ended Happily.

In the last century, on the eve of St. Valentine's day, the young folks in England and Scotland celebrated the festival. An equal number of maids and bachelors came together, and each wrote his or her name upon a separate billet, which was rolled up and placed in a box. Then the ladies drew by lot from the males' names and the latter from the names of the females. After this the valentines, as the chosen ones were called, gave parties to their friends, each valentine wearing the billet on his or her sleeve for several days. This little sport often ended in an engagement of marriage.

A Lawyer's Valentine.

> I'm retained, fair neighbor mine,
> By one of our profession
> That take the term of Valentine
> In Cupid's special session.
> Permit me, therefore, to report
> Myself on this occasion
> Quite ready to proceed to court
> And file my declaration.
> —Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Poster Parties.

The most enjoyable outgrowth of the poster fad is the poster party. In issuing the invitations the hosters requests each woman to come in the costume of the figure on the poster of a certain newspaper or magazine that she names, being careful to have no two alike. The men she requests to represent well known newspaper men. — New York Sun.

Recall.

> The minstrel sang of deeds full bold
> ... [illegible]
> Till stout hearts grew the sterner therefore
> And gained ... [illegible]
> ... [illegible]
> —T. S. V. in Detroit News.

The New Way.

In the slang of the day, no young woman says, "I will be a sister to you," but "I'll give you the glad hand and the marble heart."—Brooklyn Life.

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A PAIR OF RASCALS.

TWO MEN WHO ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR LOTS OF WOE.

The Artist Who Draws the Pictures on the Comic Valentines and the Harvard Graduate Who Writes the Poetry—Millions of Penny Villifiers.

Two men are responsible for the entire crop of comic valentines which spread bitterness and woe throughout our fair land once a year at just about this time. One of them is a Harvard graduate. He perpetrates the verse. The other is an artist who learned to wield his brush with a far nobler aim in view.

It is well that there are two of them, for they divide the awful responsibility. The poet's name is Edward Rigney. The artist is one Edgars. They both live in Brooklyn. A New York man might think that was punishment enough for them. Let us hope that the recording angel will think so, too, for they have a lot to answer for.

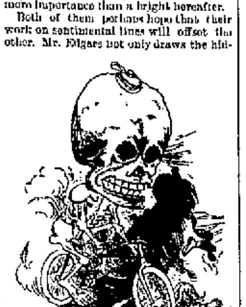
Let us just do a little figuring on the subject. There are 20,000,000 "comics" printed and circulated every year. Suppose only 15,000,000 of these are purchased and sent. If only two-thirds of the victims relieved their lacerated feelings by the use of profanity—we will say that the other 5,000,000 are women and professing Christians—that would leave 10,000,000 who would fracture the second commandment. Each man would, we will say, use on an average of five bad words, some beginning with a big D and others best represented by dashes, thus — — —. That would give a total of 50,000,000 profane words.

Now these two men have been at this business for about 15 years, and if the wrath of the people or the hand of Providence does not strike them down they may continue in their evil doing for 10 years more, a total of 25 years. Thus in 25 years they will have been the indirect producers of 1,250,000,000 profane words, or enough to make 10,000 good sized volumes.

What an awful responsibility to contemplate!

But these men don't look at it in that way. They seem to think that the enjoyment of good salaries in this life is of far more importance than a bright hereafter.

Both of them perhaps hope that their work on sentimental lines will offset the other. Mr. Edgars not only draws the hideous faces of the "comics," but he is an adept in painting pink Cupids, red hearts—always arrow pierced—and dainty forget-me-nots, lilies of the valley and other floral decorations.



THE SCORCHER—BOUND TO BE POPULAR

Artist Edgars is a man of about 30, but for 14 years he has been doing this sort of work. Consequently he has attained a wonderful dexterity with the brush. He can take a plain piece of cardboard or celluloid, and with a few dabs of his brush make it blossom like a fairy garden. He takes a dainty satin covered card, spreads the colors around on it recklessly for a minute, and, behold! he has produced something to delight the heart of some pretty maiden.

In some respects Mr. Edgars is to be envied. He has more facilities for "getting even" than any other man on earth. When the average man is insulted by an insolent street car conductor, snubbed by a saucy dry goods clerk or imposed upon by a butcher, baker or candlestick maker, he can only address a little fleeting, evanescent profanity at the individual offender.

Not so Mr. Edgars. He just keeps quiet, smiles in a bland, self satisfied way, goes to his den and draws a picture of the man or woman, and has a few hundred thousand of them struck off. Thus does he wreak his vengeance not on one person alone, but on all of that kidney. If he is angry, he can, by a few strokes of his brush, insult about 500,000 total strangers. What czar or sultan could do more?

And Mr Rigney helps him out. He takes the nightmare sketches and writes verses for them—verses which tip the arrow with gall and wormwood, which make the victim rant and tear and say things.

But there is a compensating side to all this. There are 70,000,000 souls of us in Uncle Sam's domain, and we probably all know at least half a dozen persons on whom we would like to inflict a comic. But we don't. No, only about 20,000,000 of us indulge in this sort of thing, and there is a whole lot of comfort for the humanitarians in that.

Then there are lots of people who send comics, not out of pure malice, but because they think it is funny. It may be—to the sender.

Ever since last Valentine's day the artist and the poet have been at work on this year's vintage. Each season offers new subjects for their satirical pen and brush.

Bicycle riders, of course, have come in for a good share of their attention. There is the bloomer girl. Oh, how she does catch it! Now neither of the two men who make the valentines has anything personal against the bloomer girl. They have said so. But business is business. The manufacturers knew that there would be a big demand for this style of cheap valentine. So they went to work on the poor bloomer girl and pictured her in all sorts of outrageous styles and in all degrees of exaggerated ridiculousness from bloomer girl! May her ... nature be steeled against these savage ...

The male bicyclist ... too, from the scorcher to the ... kneed spindle-

THE OLD MAID—ALWAYS SELLS WELL.

shanks. One of the new comics represents the scorcher as a death's head and skeleton riding a wheel and slaughtering the innocents who cross his path.

"It has become almost mechanical," he said to the interviewer. "The designs I use do not vary much. It is impossible, of course, to get anything new. I use a camel's hair brush and water colors. Then you know how a very few strokes will finish up a valentine."

The new woman also has her share of woe in store for her. A score of freshly designed comics which have been reproduced almost by the ton lie in wait for her on the valentine vendors' counters, and on Feb. 14 the whole machinery of the United States mail service is put at the disposal of those who wish to send them. All the eccentricities of up to date fashion are seized upon and exaggerated by the comics and made to serve the purpose of the anonymous villifier.

Then there are the scores of people whom the valentine man has for years regarded as old standbys. They will not be forgotten. The old maid, the dude, the policeman, the loafer, the iceman, the plumber, all will have their pet foibles and weaknesses held up to them in distorted fashion like the image in an imperfect mirror.

CYRUS SYLVESTER.

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.

How It Used to Be Celebrated and How It Is Now.

When we were children, St. Valentine's day ranked with Christmas and Fourth of July in much anticipated pleasure and in the simple delights that were attendant upon the coming of the lovers' saint. The little girl who did not have at least a half dozen valentines to show was considered very unpopular indeed, and so strong was this feeling that parents, fearing lest the youths of the neighborhood might not be blessed with sufficient money to favor every little girl and knowing what a disappointment the absence of the postman's knock would mean to their small daughters, would prowl out the night before and buy up paper hearts and gay little Cupids presiding over verses that breathed of love and darts rhyming with dove and hearts.

The elder ones regarded the sentimental side of the affair only and did not mind if but one missive were received, provided it was from the one, a fact which was generally speedily discovered, despite the disguised handwriting and other mysteries attached to the delivery of it. Today the hideously ugly penny dreadfuls and the paper stage scenes have given place to more substantial offerings, and the day is celebrated in quite a different manner.

Now large and beautiful boxes, filled with bonbons and tied with ribbon on which some sentiment appropriate to the day is painted, are the gifts generally exchanged. A candy Cupid presiding over a bouquet of lovely blossoms, or sprays of flowers tumbling in artistic disorder from a silver or gold heart or a quiver and arrows of tiny buds, are all the up to date gifts of the modern valentine.

In the country the lads and lasses used to hang baskets of early spring blossoms on each other's doorbells, or if winter had lingered until the day of the mating of birds paper flowers were substituted. Today, they give a valentine luncheon or party, and the tables take the shape of hearts, the candle shades become opening roses, and a little pink Cupid bearing its own valentine is the souvenir for the guests.

The simpler forms of entertaining and celebrating on every occasion have given way to the more extravagant and the more artistic modes, and in nothing is this more noticeable than in the evolution of the valentine and the gayeties that mark the day of which it is the leading feature.

FOUND BY CHANCE.

A Convict Is the Heir to a Large Fortune In Ohio.

A burglar serving two years in the penitentiary at Columbus, O., has fallen heir to a fortune of $30,000, which now awaits him on the outside. The lucky convict is Moses McKeown of Belmont county. McKeown's grandfather, a resident of Belmont county, died recently, leaving a large estate. He was desirous of finding his grandson, but the latter's whereabouts were unknown to him.

He provided ... that the estate should go to the grandson when his whereabouts should be ascertained. The grandson, who is the convict, has been a wanderer for years. His checkered career would make many chapters rivaling fiction, but he has managed to keep his relatives in ignorance of his misdeeds. The other day, while the convict was toiling with the striped army of lawbreakers, he was called upon by a citizen of Belmont county, who happened to pass a cell labeled "McKeown," and instituted inquiries. The fortunate convict was almost overpowered by the news of the bequest from his grandfather. He declares that when released at the expiration of his sentence he will bury the past and become an honorable citizen.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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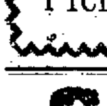

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BENNETT,

Calhoun, Between Main and Columbia Streets.

departmen, were unable to work today on account of the inclemency of the weather.

Daniel Qulon and G. Squires, of the Bass blacksmith shop, have recovered from the grip and are working again.

Bookkeeper Bert Evans, of Rhinesmith & Simonson's office, has returned from a business trip to Hartford City.

Anthony Arnold, late of the Bass works, has taken a position in the electric works, under foreman Percy B. Bosworth.

Adolph Wichman and Joseph Doyle, machinists at the Bass works, are visiting friends in Toledo during the dull season in the shop.

James H. Hanley is back at his desk in Foreman T. J. Rodabaugh's office, after an absence to attend the wedding of his sister.

James Beason, who was off duty a few days attending to private affairs, resumed his place in the Pittsburg boiler shop this morning.

Louis Smith, janitor at the cabinet department of the Pittsburg shops, is suffering with a lame hand, which incapacitates him for work.

E. L. Littot and Charles Rodenbeck, of the Pittsburg boiler shop, laid off today to attend the funeral of their old friend, the late Mr. Stark.

Engineer "Sandy" Helikor, of the Pennsylvania's passenger service, was taken quite sick in Chicago yesterday and was unable to bring his train down

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provement and the prospects for his recovery are now considered good.

In January there passed through Harrisburg, over the Pennsylvania lines, 128 836 cars, 12,463 being loaded.

George Quidor, the well known Nickel Plate engineer, is now living on West Washington street. He laid off yesterday to aid in moving.

The Lake Shore, when it gets its order for 2,100 new cars filled, which will be within ninety days, will have in service 20,000 cars of its own.

President Ripley, of the Santa Fe, says that before he gets through with his retrenchment policy he will work a saving on this mammoth property of $1,000,000 a year.

According to the report of the railway commission of Kansas, only two roads in that state paid dividends in 1895, and thirteen out of twenty-four were in the hands of receivers.

The Panhandle has made a reduction in the working force all along its lines, dropping employes at all depots, freight yards and on the sections, wherever it was possible to spare them.

John W. Loud, who has been traffic manager of the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee since 1889, has been appointed general freight agent of the Grand Trunk, with headquarters at Montreal.

Brakemen C. Vardeman and W. D. Dean are taking a few days' rest. R. C. Rosser and W. D. Kein, also brakemen, are working again after a few days' absence. All are Nickel Plate employes.

William Davis, president of the San Antonio and Gulf Shore, has resigned and will turn his attention to building a line from San Antonio east, which will shorten the distance between New York and San Antonio, he states, 200 miles.

Nickel Plate engines 153 and 158 came down from the Stony Island shops today and will be put into service, the former on the Third and the latter on the Fourth districts. Both engines have been rebuilt throughout and are practically new.

A man named J. T. Guthrie, whose home was at Reed City, Mich., died on Wabash passenger train No. 14 Tuesday evening between Logansport and Peru. He was a cooper by trade and for the past several weeks had been in Missouri buying material. At Poplar Bluffs he took seriously ill, but insisted on starting home and he died en route, as stated above.

Charles Shearer, one of the Hobart trio who was arrested for robbing freight cars on the Nickel Plate road several months ago, was sentenced by Judge Gillett to one year in the penitentiary. Peter Schler, of Porter county, and Peter Collins, of Hobart, the other two members, will have their hearing next week. Detective Thomas Wilkinson made the arrests.

In the suit of Johnson against the Iron Mountain Railroad company for $15,000 damages for breach of contract and blacklisting, the jury at Memphis yesterday, returned a verdict awarding the plaintiff $1,135 damages. This suit was brought by a discharged engineer. It was based on an agreement between the railroad company and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Messrs. Wolf and Thompson, of the electric works, and Tellman, of the Bass foundry, are now members of the A. O. U. W., having been initiated in Fort Wayne lodge, No. 19, last night. Eleven new applications were read at the meeting last night, which added to those received the previous meeting, makes thirty-two applicants who are awaiting admittance to the order.

The railroad department Y. M. C. A. is very much encouraged by the addition of some thirty-five new members since January 1, and the prospect for many more in the near future. The railroad boys appreciate the homelike accommodations provided by this department. The very easy terms, without any "red tape" attachments, make it possible for all railway and shop employes to become members. As a desire was expressed by some for the new game of caroms, two boards have been purchased and are in constant demand in the game room.

The Indianapolis Journal says: "The Big Four, the Lake Shore and the New York Central have under contemplation making solid trains entire of the Knickerbocker express and the Southwestern limited between St. Louis and New York, painting the trains of one color and lettering them with the above titles, and the understanding is that the time between St. Louis and New York will be still further shortened with the taking effect of the spring time table, at which time the through sleeping car between Indianapolis and New York will be restored."

Denny McCarthy is one of the most methodical and careful engineers on the Nickel Plate and many are the devices and schemes he has gotten up to aid him in taking his train through on time. One was to place a stake at the water plug at Valparaiso to show him just where to stop the engine when he wished to take water. A few days ago, when bringing No. 4 down from Chicago, Denny stopped at the stake as usual. "Back up," shouted the fireman. "I won't do it," said Denny. "The engine's all right, hustle in the water." "Can't do it; you are fifty feet from the spout," replied the fireman. Denny made an investigation and found that some one had moved the peg. He blames Mike McCarthy for it and is laying for him with a club.

BRAKEMAN INJURED.

C. T. Wright, a Wabash brakeman, lost the index finger of his left hand and had the thumb crushed while coupling cars at New Haven last evening. The unfortunate man is a son of Conductor Ed. Wright and lives with his parents at Andrews. He is a member of Conductor Cole's train crew.

PASTOR AT FOURTEEN

REV. HENRY VAN COTT BANTA A CHILD WHEN CALLED TO PREACH.

Has Been Two Years a Clergyman—Called to Take Charge of a Church by the People of Shallotte, N. C.—Now Visiting In Brooklyn.

The Rev. Henry Van Cott Banta, aged 16, is a full fledged, ordained minister of the southern conference of the Methodist Episcopal church. He is the pastor of a church in Shallotte, N. C. He was raised in Brooklyn—that is, he has lived there more years than he has lived anywhere else.

The Rev. Henry Van Cott Banta is a frail youth. He appears to be not more than 12 years old. He is hollow chested, with a pale complexion. His eyes are a light blue, his mouth small, his lips very red. He has a thoughtful brow, and he parts his hair far on one side. Just now the boy pastor is visiting his parents in Brooklyn.

When you first meet the Rev. Van Cott Banta, he approaches you with an air of great dignity. He holds his head slightly on one side. He smiles in an encouraging way. He has the ecclesiastical handshake, which consists in grasping a hand firmly and pressing it without moving it up or down.

The boy pastor's father, John W. Banta, was a Methodist preacher who has retired and is now engaged in literary work in the Bible house in this city. Occasionally he goes on an exhorting trip. The Rev. Henry was born in Kingston, Ont. His parents took him to Brooklyn when he was a baby, so he calls himself a Brooklyn boy. When the boy pastor was a little chap, his brother let him fall, injuring his left knee so that he will be lame all his life. A part of the time he is compelled to use crutches. He underwent an operation in the Seney hospital a few years ago.

About two years ago his father started on an evangelizing tour through Ohio, and as Henry was in delicate health, it was decided that he should go along. In Ohio the elder Banta joined a western evangelist named Hygama, and the three traveled, like gypsies, in a big covered wagon, holding forth wherever they could get an audience. The small and delicate Henry was converted in a small town in Ohio.

His father and the other evangelist decided to make an attack on the mountaineers in the Blue Ridge mountains. At this point the young pastor says: "It was in a log cabin in the trackless pine forests of North Carolina that I preached my first sermon. The cabin was owned by a man named Gainey, who claimed to be 111 years old."

When the peregrinating preachers reached Shallotte, N. C., which is about 40 miles south of Wilmington, the boy preacher met with remarkable success. The congregation of the church at that time was troubled with a pastor who was accused of being too varied in his affections. They liked Henry so well that they invited the frail, pale boy to become their pastor, and he accepted. He has been in charge for two years. They have given him a parsonage and a horse and wagon. He is known for miles around as a powerful exhorter. He was ordained in the church where he preaches, and was regularly admitted to the southern conference.—New York World.

A PUZZLED ENGLISHMAN.

Asks Questions on Several Questions Interesting to Many Readers.

We are bitterly complaining of foreign papers and persons on account of their criticisms and reproaches, but it surely must be difficult for foreigners to understand us. We neglect to stop the preparations for a criminal raid by our own people, and then can after the raiders with a message to return, only just in time to save ourselves from the charge of complicity, and we extol the sender of the message apparently for being too late. We repudiate the raiders, and then sharply resent any offers of congratulations to those who succeeded in stopping them. We more than half treat the raiders' cause as our own, publish in the leading journal our poet laureate's hysterical and rowdy praise of them, and generally go on the bounce against "the enemy," and insult the people our own men have so grievously wronged. No wonder the foreigner finds it difficult. I find it difficult myself, and tens of thousands of people in England are finding it specially difficult to understand why Mr. Chamberlain should be so lavishly praised for being so dangerously late.—J. Page Hopps in London Daily News.

LETTER CHAIN.

By Which Christian Women Hope to Erect a Church.

The Christian church ladies of Anderson, Ind., have started a letter chain, the purpose being the erection of a new church in that city. The matter is in the hands of a committee that has opened a complete set of books to keep track of the chain. The Catholic ladies recently put this method into effect to realize money for their hospital in this city, and it succeeded very well, giving a very good income.

The new church that is proposed by the Christian people is to cost about $10,000 all told, and they expect to raise a good part of it in this manner. They will rely almost entirely upon their own people in different Indiana cities to carry the thing along.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Peace In a Great City.

I should say that yesterday was one of the most peaceful days that has been passed by society this winter.

After a careful perusal of the papers I didn't see that one single person had sued any one else for divorce, that any one had been robbed of silver or diamonds or that the Belmont-Vanderbilt crowd had done anything to warrant any more publicity.—Cholly Knickerbocker in New York Recorder.

REED ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

The Publication of His Views Hailed With Delight by Many Women.

The publication recently of Speaker Reed's views on woman suffrage has caused no end of comment, and the distinguished subject of the publicity has received flattering letters of congratulation and devoted allegiance from all sections of the country. He has been greeted by a swarming delegation of enthusiastic woman suffragists at all hours during the past few days. There have been [illegible] who are [illegible] of the Woman Suffrage [illegible] is more [illegible] have called at [illegible] have besieged the speaker's [illegible] complete [illegible] has had [illegible] before it [illegible] in the capital [illegible] terrace. It is already [illegible] and it will soon grow into a working delegation with [illegible] and banners.

While there is no reason to believe that Mr. Reed has experienced any change of faith there is reason to believe that he does not look with favor upon the publication of his views at this time. When the reporter sought some new expression of opinion from him he promptly declined to discuss the matter any further. He did seem to resent the imputation that he had experienced any change of mind because of the time elapsed or because of any political ambition which he may have.

There has been so much commendation and so little condemnation of the views from the speaker's political friends and allies that a renewed and more affirmative expression of the same view may soon be looked for. This will make the matter an interesting campaign issue than ever, and bets on the campaign is over voters may expect to see large delegations of ambitious women bearing campaign banners in favor of "Tom Reed, the working girl's friend."—Washington Post.

Permit one to indulge a trembling hope that we shall never hear "The Bells of Shandon" or "Curfew Must Not Ring Tonight" recited by either professional or amateur elocutionists again in the course of our natural lives. Give us a rest.

Knights of the Maccabees.

The state commander writes us from Lincoln, Neb., as follows: "After trying other medicines for what seemed to be a very obstinate cough in our two children, we tried Dr. King's New Discovery and at the end of two days the cough entirely left them. We will not be without it hereafter, as our experience proves that it cures where all other remedies fail."—Signed, F. W. Stevens, State Com.—Why not give this great medicine a trial, as it is guaranteed and trial bottles are free, at Dreier & Bro.'s drug store. Regular sizes, 50c and $1.00.

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Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a severe kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so-called kidney cures, but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to the cure of all kidney and liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statements. Price only 50c for large bottle. At Dreier & Bros.'s drug store.

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Stopping a Panic.

One night at a London theater some odds and ends of scenery took fire, and a very perceptible odor of burning alarmed the spectators.

A panic seemed to be imminent, when an actor appeared on the stage.

"Ladies and gentlemen," he said, "compose yourselves. There is no danger—I give you my word of honor there is no danger."

The audience did not seem reassured.

"Ladies and gentlemen," continued the comedian, rising to the necessities of the occasion, "confound it all; do you think if there was any danger I'd be here?"

The panic collapsed.

The slate output of Vermont comes entirely from the quarries in Rutland county.

Women [illegible] the growing [illegible] Our [illegible] They neglect little warnings until they get used to them. The women [illegible] and [illegible] still they do not heed them. This [illegible] like a snowball rolling down hill. The [illegible] yet gradually, and they get used to it gradually, but it ruins their lives just the same. One woman in a hundred, perhaps, is perfectly healthy. Sometimes her weakness is inherited, sometimes acquired by carelessness. In every case, care and Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will give her new life and strength and vitality. It will fill out the hollows in her cheeks, bring color to her lips, brighten her eyes, and make her really and truly a woman. The "Favorite Prescription" is of inestimable value at three stages in the lives of every woman—when the girl becomes a woman, when the woman becomes a mother, and when the mother becomes incapable of maternity. At these times it gives safety and strength. It is the only medicine now before the public for woman's peculiar ailments, adapted to her delicate organization by a regularly graduated physician—an experienced and skilled specialist in these maladies. It cannot do harm in any condition of the system. Its sales exceed the combined sales of all other medicines for women.

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AFFAIRS OF THE RAIL.

Pennsylvania Master Mechanics Meet Here Today.

Brakeman Wright Meets With Misfortune at New Haven—Man Killed—Local News.

Supt. Potter, of the motive power department of the northwestern system of the Pennsylvania lines, called his master mechanics and road foremen of engineers to his office to-day, to talk of matters pertaining to that branch of the railway service. These meetings are held three of four times a year and are very helpful to the men who attend them. Those in attendance upon today's meeting were: W. W. Atterbury, of Fort Wayne; W. F. Beardsley, of Allegheny; T. F. Butler, of Wellsville; G. J. Parkin, of Erie; W. M. Lowe, of Toledo, and G. P. Sweeley, of Crestline, all master mechanics, and the following road foremen: A. H. Polhamus, of Fort Wayne; S. D. Noragan, of Wellsville; J. P. Robinson, of Lawrence Junction; W. F. Graham, of Allegheny, and H. Israel, of Alliance.

KILLED ON THE WABASH.

William Davis, an employe of one of the mills of Columbia City, while walking on the Wabash railway tracks at that place last evening, was run down by a train and almost instantly killed. The body was terribly crushed and mangled. He leaves a wife and two children.

COAL LANDS GOBBLED.

The Chicago Post says: "An extensive deal in Illinois coal lands, embracing nearly 11,000 acres, has been practically completed by a New York and Chicago syndicate representing two of the largest railway companies in the country. The syndicate has already obtained options on 10,100 acres of coal land in the Grape Creek district, overlying a rich vein containing not less than 75,000,000 tons of bituminous coal. George Gould and the Wabash road are said to be largely interested in the deal, which threatens the valuable interests of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois road in coal freightage from that district to Chicago. The ostensible promoter of the deal, T. A. Broughton, vice president of the Crescent Coal and Mining company and manager of the syndicate, has denied that Gould or the Wabash railroad is interested in the big deal, but the denial may be withdrawn later when the last details of the work of securing control of this vast tract of rich coal land are completed. The names of all capitalists connected with the syndicate are being closely guarded just at present, but it is known that the deal involves the building of a new railroad to tap the fields. From reliable sources the information is gained that this enterprise will be the largest since the anthracite combination, now merged into the Reading syndicate, which is in a state of reorganization."

BRIEF MENTION.

Private business keeps Engineer E. Jamey, of the Pittsburg, from his duties.

Henry Dickmeyer, Patrick O'Brien and John Rupp, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, are sick.

C. Reader, of the Pittsburg lumber yards, is sick and unable to work. A half-dozen other workmen of the same from that city. Engineer W. Beck is another name on the off duty list, he being afflicted with the grip.

Clerk James Costigan, of the electric works, is sick.

Engine 24 went into the Pittsburg back shop this morning for repairs.

W. S. Danes, superintendent of bridges of the Wabash, was in the city last night.

Engineer George Stevens and Firemen John Lalander and H. Rose, of the Nickel Plate, are sick and off duty.

Phelix Commincavish and Harry Roselot have taken positions in the fixture department of the electric works.

The snow storm delayed all trains on the Pittsburg and the Nickel Plate roads today. No accidents were reported, however.

Pittsburg train No. 8 last night took nine passengers out of this city, who were bound for New York. Not bad for a stormy night.

John Wilkinson is now the day agent for the Adams Express company at the south depots. For some months he served as "night man."

C. Rupple and J. Toussaint, flue cutters, and J. Collins, a steam fitter, are absent from the Pittsburg shops today on account of sickness.

Supt. A. E. Barnes and Draughtsman F. L. Session, of the electric works, made a trip to Lima, Ohio, yesterday in the interest of the corporation.

The Pittsburg and the Wabash companies had their snow trains out this morning and the snow at the depots was gathered up and hauled away.

A. Henderson, stationary engineer at the Wabash shops, and his wife will spend a few days with friends at Springfield, Ill. They left today for that city.

John Willard, who had his eyes burned at the electric works last Monday, will probably be able to resume work Monday. He was not badly injured.

Pearl Beigler, machinist apprentice at the Wabash shops, had an eye injured by a piece of steel yesterday. A shopmate removed the metal from the optic.

Mrs. J. Wise, who has been quite sick for some weeks, was so much worse today that her husband, who is foreman of the Pittsburg tank shop, could not leave her bedside.

Superintendent E. A. Gould is much better today than he has been since first taken ill. Yesterday was his "bad day," but happily he suffered no relapse. Instead there was a steady im-

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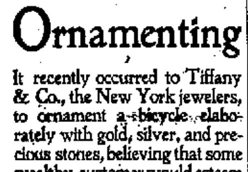

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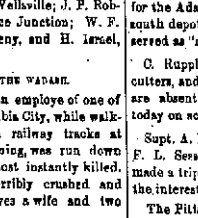

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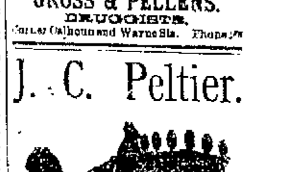

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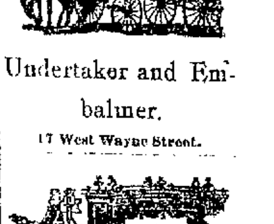

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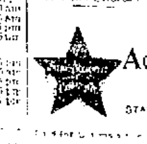

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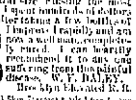

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Breakfast, 6.30 to 8. Dinner, 11 to 2.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

State Senator.

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Sunsets and Peach Blossoms

And flower gardens are rivaled by the

NEW SPRING SILKS.

Every woman should bless the man who invented modern warp printing.

Printed warps are everywhere, and in some of the handsomest styles—printing and wearing, both combine to produce exquisite and striking effects. The new Shadow Silks with hair line scrolls scattered over the surface. The new Persian and Jardonierre effects make very striking dinner and reception gowns.

These are $1.25 to $2.75 a yard

Spring Dress Goods The leading goods for early spring wear are the stylish all Wool Cheviots English, Scotch and American. Yankee ingenuity have imitated and outranked English styles and got the better of them in prices.

Mixed Cheviot Suitings, 38 inches wide, close well mixed weaves, medium color effects, excellent styles, 45c

Mixed Cheviots, 38 inches wide, in the best color combinations for natty street costumes, 50c

Mottled Cheviots, 40 inches wide, the conventional mixture, with mottled designs, indistinctly showing, clearly new this season, 75c.

Cheviot Fancies, 40 inches wide, silk and wool, colors combined in decided style—just the thing for rich costumes, $1.00

Veils and Veiling How the wind whistles and the tan starts on the cheek; that must be avoided by one of our veils. The new things are Pattern Veils, all colors, deep borders, 75c to $1.50 each.

Black dotted Nets, 20c to $1.00
Fancy Mesh Nets, 10c to 50c
Black and all colors.

Prints. New Spring Prints, so handsome China Silk printers could copy designs from them.

And our Muslin Underwear selling has become famous. This sixteenth yearly selling brings you the most perfectly made garments we have ever shown, and such possible values for such nice, dainty garments nobody ever dreamed of.

The Umbrella Skirts
The Umbrella Drawers, which have taken so favorably, demanded re orders at once.

At $1.00—We show Night Gowns of unusual excellence.

At 50c—Drawers, trimmed with fine embroidery. These are the par excellence in the Drawer bargains, 50c.

At 25c—Great lines Corset Covers, all Cambric, and large lines plain drawers, nice muslin plaits.

Challies

When you can save 10 cents a yard, get an article for 15c—sure to be 25c and no less, after this lot is gone—you want to fasten to it at once.

These are 30 inch half wool Challies in beautiful colorings—80 pieces in the lot and all lay upon the low price dress counter.

Imperial Paper Patterns

For March are here. This pattern business is growing wonderfully—models with every pattern. Call in and see the new styles for spring.

ROOT & COMPANY.

EVERYBODY GOES TO
THE PANTITORIUM,
To have their Clothing CLEANED, PRESSED, DYED and REPAIRED. Call up telephone 435 and they will call for your work.
16 ARCADE,
Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

Misses Maud Myers and Alice Hess have issued invitations for a masquerade party to be given at the residence of John Connolley, on Monday evening next.

MONEY TO LOAN
On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

You can depend upon Edmunds & Law. 1tf

Huntington Democrat: "Mrs. L. B. Smith and son, Nelson, returned from their visit among relatives at Fort Wayne Tuesday afternoon."

OUR ANNUAL
MID-WINTER PANT SALE

That is so anxiously looked forward to by the majority of the people in Fort Wayne and vacinity is now in full blast, and we are confident that this is the greatest

Special Pantaloon Sale

That has ever taken place in this city. We have never been able to quote such low prices nor give you such a large and desirable selection of styles and fabrics.

$1.48
For Men's wool Pants in Cassimeres and Cheviots, that are worth from $3.00 to $2.50.

$1.98
For Men's all wool Pants in Cassimeres, Cheviots and Worsteds, that sell the world over at $3.00 and $3.50; we have all sizes of each pattern.

$2.48
For Men's all wool Pants in fancy worsteds, black cheviots and cassimeres in elegant patterns and finely made. These would be cheap at $3.50 and $4.00.

$2.98
For Men's fine Pants in all fabrics and styles, that are worth $4.00 and $4.50 of anyones money.

$3.48
For Men's finest worsted and cassimere Pants, worth $4.50, $5 and $6. See window display.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.

THURSDAY, FEB. 13 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.........No. 173.
Editorial Rooms........No. 650.

The Weather.

Washington, Feb. 13—For Indiana: Fair and colder tonight and Friday; northerly winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. John Watt gave a thimble party yesterday afternoon.

The ladies of Bethany church are arranging for a literary club.

Mrs. William Nell, of No. 182 Greeley street, is quite ill with la grippe.

This evening Miss Sue Thompson entertains in honor of Miss Reed, of Jeffersonville.

Misses Charlotte and Mamie Clausmeier are in from the Academy of the Sacred Heart on a visit.

J. O. Muhleisen, of Toledo, Ohio, was the guest of Miss Tina Gruber, of No. 108 Jackson street, yesterday.

The new street railway snow sweepers were used last night for the first time. They cleaned the tracks nicely.

The ladies of the English Lutheran church will give a social and supper tomorrow evening at the church parlors.

Miss Katherine Bosaler left yesterday for Bluffton, to start a branch dress making establishment with Arnold Brothers.

The missionary club will not meet as heretofore announced this evening, but one week from today at the Westminster church.

Kendallville Sun: "H. W. Mordhurst, of Fort Wayne, most excellent high priest of the grand chapter, R. A. M., is in the city."

"Parson" S. A. Haines will speak in Westminster church next Sabbath morning. He is a notable speaker and known to many in the city.

The boys at No. 6 engine house have purchased a pair of boxing gloves and a punching bag and some latent pugilistic ability is showing itself.

Miss Jessie Neireiter, of No. 46 West Lewis street, entertained a thimble party this afternoon in honor of Miss Nanette Scott, of Indianapolis.

Attorney R. B. Hanna, as trustee for the defunct Globe Clothing house, yesterday disposed of the stock to Mr. A. K. Hurst for $10,155 at an auction sale.

George Maier has signified his acceptance of the superintendency of the Lutheran orphans' home, at Elkhart, Ind., and will shortly leave to assume his duties.

Miss Ollie Falls entertained the Afternoon Pedro club yesterday. Mrs. Charles Colerick won the first prize, Mrs. Skelley the consolation and Mrs. Blair the booby.

Word from Maumee township, where an oil well is being sunk for the Centlivre oil company, of this city, is very encouraging and hopes are entertained of striking a yielding vein.

Oscar B. Judy, assistant foreman in the Pittsburg shops, has purchased lot No. 241, on Columbia avenue, in Lakeside, from Mason Long, and has broken ground for an eight-room residence.

A window which was accidentally left open at Kalbacher's grocery, on Grand street, Monday night, caused a rumor to be started that the store had been burglarized. There was no robbery.

The board of public safety opened bids for the new covered patrol wagon last night. Bids were made by L. C. Zollinger, A. Vogeley, City Carriage works, R. H. Baker and Charles Ehrman. The contract will be let Saturday.

The Young People's society of the Grace Reformed church will give a Valentine social at the church tomorrow evening. The young people have arranged for a very pleasant time. They will have postoffice mailcarriers, a musical program and refreshments.

Miss Lizzie Pohlmeyer was pleasantly surprised by a number of her friends at her home, No. 57 Baker street, who came to remind her of her fourteenth birthday. Games and music were the features of the evening and supper was served at a late hour. She received a number of presents.

Decatur Democrat: "C. E. Everett, of Fort Wayne, representing a syndicate of capitalists, appeared before the board of county commissioners yesterday afternoon and asked for an electric railroad over a public highway in the south part of the county. The franchise was not granted and will not be until it is thoroughly investigated."

The Elks lodge has contracted with Artist F. Schanz for a picture that will adorn the walls of the magnificent lodge room when completed. The picture is that of an elk in his native wild wood. It is to be a copy of a famous painting that was exhibited at the world's fair and of which Mr. Schanz secured a photograph. The picture, which is to be done in oil, will be about seven and one half feet high, showing the noble animal almost life size. The cost of the painting will be about $400 and it will require several weeks to finish it.

Mrs. Tom R. Hartman was at Huntington yesterday in attendance on the funeral of Miss Mollie Collins, the corresponding secretary for this district of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society. The funeral was very largely attended and the floral offerings were beautiful. An anchor presented by the Woman's Foreign Missionary society was one of the designs. A profusion of cut flowers were strewn about the casket. The services were conducted by Rev. F. G. Browne, assisted by Rev. T. W. Delong. Miss Collins was well known here and was present at the district convention held in this city about a year ago. She was a lady of lovable character and did a great work for the church.

Mrs. J. L. Leeper of West Berry street, is quite sick.

Miss Grace White entertained the Merry-Go Rounds today.

Miss E. Melching has gone to Bluffton to remain indefinitely.

The Marquette club gave a reception to their friends at Sons of Columbus hall last night.

Miss Theono Michaels, of South Calhoun street, will give a valentine party tomorrow evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Purcell, of North Harrison street, will entertain the T. C.'s tomorrow evening.

The ladies of the English Lutheran church will give a social and supper Friday evening, in the church parlors.

John H. Lentz, the well known grocer at the corner of Smith and Grant streets, is confined to his home with the grip.

The Daughters of Isabella sewing circle met at the home of Miss Katie Noll, No. 97 West Wayne street this afternoon.

Mrs. O. L. Kalker, of Lakeside, entertained Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. F. M. Tower, of Toledo, and Mrs. Minnie Theorin, of Chicago.

The Ivy Leaf club will give an entertainment at Hibernian hall next Monday evening, for which an excellent program has been arranged.

A social and "conversazione" will be given at the rooms of the Theosophical society, on West Berry street, this evening. The public is invited.

Miss Nanette Scott, who has been the guest of Miss Jessie Neireiter for several weeks, returns to her home at Indianapolis tomorrow morning.

Dr. A. J. Boswell yesterday performed a very delicate operation on the throat of Miss Elma Frey, of Schanz's photograph gallery. It proved successful.

Carl Kruse, a farmer of St. Joe township, was badly injured in a runaway yesterday. His right leg was broken in two places. Dr. Duemling attended him.

Next Monday night the Catholic young men of Ege will give a supper and entertainment at the school hall and a number of Fort Wayne people will attend.

The members of the faculty of the Fort Wayne College of Medicine will enjoy a gentleman's party at the residence of Dr. K. K. Wheelock tomorrow evening.

A pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Edward Berry in honor of his fifteenth birthday anniversary. Postoffice and other amusing games were indulged in.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Culbertson entertained a number of friends at their home last evening in honor of Harry R. Culbertson, who left today for Chicago to reside permamently.

Peter Bogeli, of the Mennonite book bindery, has purchased lot No. 222, on Columbia avenue, in Lakeside, from W. D. Henderson, and has the foundation laid for a handsome residence.

The Lakeside Ladies' Sewing society was entertained Tuesday by Mrs. Myers, on Columbia avenue. Next week the meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. A. Robbins, on Lake avenue.

The Fasela circle met at the home of Miss Julia Rensman to elect officers. The following were chosen: President, Miss Julia Rensman; secretary, Miss Lillian Smenk; treasurer, Miss Lou Blust.

The funeral of the late Erasmus Stork was held at St. Paul's Catholic church this morning, under the auspices of St. Bernard branch C. K. of A. The following were pall bearers: Kilian Baker, Joseph Nichter, Joseph Romary, Patrick Ryan, John O'Connel and John H. Welch.

Harry R. Culbertson, for the past six years chief clerk of R. G. Dun & Co., under his brother, F. V. Culbertson, manager of the local office, left today for Chicago to accept a lucrative position with the same firm in the latter city, where he will be assigned to duty on the city reporting staff.

The pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. Witte, on Maumee avenue, was the scene of a very delightful surprise party last evening given in honor of their son, August. Cards, dancing and music were the amusements which served to entertain the assembled guests. At midnight a dainty luncheon was served.

The friends and neighbors of Herman Plock and wife gave them a pleasant surprise last evening, it being his thirty sixth birthday anniversary. Music, games and a sumptuous repast were the most enjoyable features of the evening. Mr. Plock also received some valuable gifts in remembrance of the occasion.

Misses Clara Grand and Abbie Doty charmingly entertained friends Tuesday night with a hunting party, in honor of Miss Lottie Hood, of Columbia City. A long string was stretched from place to place in the house and each guest had to follow that string and hunt the end of it. Charles Hood won the first prize in a quotation match.

Among the after dinner speakers at the banquet given last night at Kalamazoo, Mich., by the Lincoln club was Dr. J. W. Younge, of this city. Although it was an impromptu speech, the doctor was equal to the occasion and his tribute to the martyred president was eloquent. There were covers at the banquet table for three hundred and fifty guests and many distinguished speakers were present.

Frank Smutz, motorman on one of the new street railway sweepers, had a leg broken between the ankle and knee this morning while at work. As he was rounding the corner at Main and Calhoun streets, a chain holding one of the sweeper motors which are located on the floor on the inside of the car, broke and the motor rolled over. It struck Smutz's leg. Dr. Porter reduced the fracture. Smutz lives on Hamilton street. He is a regular motorman on the Belt line.

There are no prisoners in the Cass county jail.

Police Superintendent Liggett has returned from Indianapolis.

Mrs. G. Olds left this morning over the Wabash for Mattoon, Ill.

Miss Flora Tillson, of Titusville, Pa., is in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Al. Copinus, of 61 Broadway.

Sheriff Clausmeier and Peter Certia have gone to Mt. Clemens, Mich., to take treatment for rheumatism.

Judge Lowry is in Angola attending the Steuben circuit court, engaged in a will case involving a number of intricate legal questions.

Fort Wayne Hive, No. 6?, O. T. M., will give a social and entertainment, at the home of Mrs. G. I. Olmstead, 213 West Main street, Tuesday evening, February 18.

W. A. Bohn reported to the police this forenoon that a fine beagle hound belonging to him was lost, strayed or stolen and he wanted the police to hunt it up for him.

Three common drunks were before the mayor this morning in police court. They were Gus Dau, Gus Wilson and John Lee. Wilson paid with pension money which he received yesterday. The other two went to jail for eleven days.

After a successful term and examination the pupils of the Sacred Heart academy have commenced their new session. The prospects are very encouraging for a successful year, such as always characterize the work of this well known and popular educational institution. The attendance at the academy is large.

The Concordia Building and Loan association met last night and elected the following officers for the year: President, Charles Keyser; secretary, Chas. H. Buck, treasurer, Charles Stellhorn; directors, Edward Helmke, Nicholas Kelch, Barney Lindeman, Charles Schmidt, Theobold Hofer and Paul Richter; auditing committee, H. F. Beverforden, A. Fuelber, Conrad Laidolf, William Schiefer and Henry Buck.

Humane Officer Schlaudroff is looking for a couple of blooded young men who hired a horse and buggy at Martin's livery barn, on Clinton street last night. They drove around a part of the night and finally abandoned the rig near the west end of Washington street. Mr. Martin found the horse there this morning fast between two trees. He knows the two young men and the officers intend to make it warm for them.

Last evening Edward Barry was most pleasantly surprised by a number of his friends. At 12 o'clock a delicious lunch was served. The guests departed in the wee small hours of the approaching dawn, after having enjoyed themselves in a most appropriate manner. Those present were Misses A. Collins, L. Noll, L. Eggeman, L. Rundell, J. O'Connor, M. Motestein, B. Scott, A. Monning, M. Ford, C. Klinkle, V. Klinkle, Messrs. E. Barry, E. Gordon, J. Lonnert, J. Kock, J. Brames, J. Ford, J. Lanternier, A. Baker and A. Haffner.

Tuesday evening a very pleasant surprise party invaded the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wellman, of No. 237 Broadway, in honor of their daughter, Louise, to remind her of her twentieth birthday. The evening was spent in card playing. Miss Amelia Schafer and Mr. Rodenian captured the best, and Miss Marie Dudenhoefer and Mr. Fred Schafer the consolation prizes. Those present were Misses Tillie Gerke, Marie Gamrath, Kathrine Hitzeman, Marie Dudenhoefer, Lulu Rippe, Amelia Schafer, Louise Wellman, Louise Rodeman, Mrs. Ruener, Messrs. Henry and Fred Schafer, E. Neimeyer, Edward Scheiman, T. Hargis, Henry Rippe, Rodeman and Henry Wellman. At 12 o'clock a sumptuous supper was served.

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Dazzling features of the Principal Buildings reproduced just as they were at the World's Fair Midway. Princess Rink tonight. Admission only 15c.

Notice to L. A. to O. R. C.

Members are requested to meet at the hall at 1:30 o'clock prompt Friday afternoon to make arrangements to attend the funeral of our departed sister, Mrs. Anderson.

By order of president.

Mrs. J. C. Craig.
Mrs. E. Elliott, Secretary.

The ladies of Fort Wayne should by all means attend the free lectures by Mrs. Marian Hartman Hunt, of Chicago, at the City Y. M. C. A., on next Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, the 21st.

Look for program in today's paper for the entertainment and social to be given at Trinity M. E. church this evening. Admission, including both, 10 cents.

A Starter—Trethewey Bros.' four days' sale of shoes.

WANTED.

A seven or eight room, modern house; furnished. Address,
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Use Prof. Field's Worm Powders. A single trial will prove their worth.

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All the Weird Music, Bum Bum Candy, Hot Hot Men, Columbian Guards, Noise, Clatter and Excitement of the Midway. General admission only 15c.

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The women are not in it, at the Baptist church Valentine social and entertainment Friday evening. The men have it in charge and they assure you a good time. 1-2

Use White Loaf Flour and your bread will always be moist.

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PURE IMAGINATION

Keeps Some People Ill.

Many people imagine they can do things which they cannot; this is particularly true of habits like the tobacco or coffee habit. A person addicted to either of these habits may be one of such construction that the article used is poisonous to him, but they imagine they can use coffee (for instance) without any bad effect for "thousands of people do," they reason. So the weak feeling or stomach trouble, or headache, is charged, one day to the hot sun, the next day taking pains to avoid the sun, the old trouble shows up again, so as long as it is not the sun "it must be something I have eaten, it can't be coffee." Then follows some tests on diet, and still the trouble continues; every known reason will be thought of and experimented with, but they will not leave off the coffee, for they like it to well. To such it may be suggested that matters be looked squarely in the face. If you keep on with little ails caused by some unnatural cause you will surely come down sick unless the active cause is removed. Coffee contains poisonous alkaloids in small quantities which can be withstood by a perfectly healthy adult, but which seriously affect those who are a little below par physically, or children.

To such Postum Cereal comes as a boon; it has the color of Java coffee, creams up like thick Mocha and has a delicious fragrance and taste. When tasted critically it will be found to have a grain flavor that is crisp and pleasant. It is strictly a food drink, being made entirely of cereals (wheat &c.)

Postum Cereal will nourish and fatten adults and children and can be used at every meal with decided advantage.

The Catholic ladies of this city are especially invited to attend the free illustrated lectures at the City Y. M. C. A., by Mrs. Marian Hartman Hunt, of Chicago, at 2:30 p. m., on the 15th, 19th and 21st.

Tonight? Yes, tonight; go to the Wayne Cadet band Valentine ball, at Schroeder's hall, and see the fun. Tickets, 50 cents. Ladies free.

A DECKER BROS. PIANO

For $88 Square Piano, new strings new tuning pins, action readjusted, hammers refelted; practically as good as new.

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You will save 25 per cent. and sometimes more, by buying China and Glass at

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English China Dinner Sets, 102 pieces, $7.00.

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Corresponding prices on Toilet Sets, Lamps and Fancy Goods.

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If you wish to save money take the A. A. stock. $1 per month. No membership fee. No fines. Call at office, cor. Berry and Court streets, for a maturity table, which will show you the value of your stock each month until maturity.

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32 E. Berry Street.

Gottlieb Haller, President.
Chas. S. Bash, Vice President.
Ernest W. Cook, Secretary.

The Howard Wall Company opened a four nights' engagement at the Empire last night to standing room only. The company will appear in the "Little Wild Cat" tonight. Owing to the inclement weather last night the managers will admit ladies free tonight if accompanied by one paid ticket.

Two snaps in shoes that can't be beat. See our ad. Trethewey Bros., 118 Calhoun street.

Attend the Valentine social at the Baptist church Friday night if you want to enjoy yourself as the men will have charge of it. 12-2

A RARE CHANCE.

Commencing January 14, for ten days only we will sell all $40, $35, $30 suits, or any suit in the store, for $22.50.

Chas. J. Romeis,
121 Calhoun St.,
13tf Lau Building.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the members of the congregation of the Bethany Presbyterian church, of Fort Wayne, will hold a meeting at the usual place of worship, on the corner of Boone and Fry streets, in the city of Fort Wayne, Ind., on the 18th day of February, 1896, for the purpose of electing one trustee and transacting such other business as may legally come before the meeting. By order of

The Board.

February 10, 1896. 11-6t

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Beginning Wednesday,
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A large supply of Groceries at our store last week at the following low prices: All teas just half price. Young Hyson, 18c to 48c lb; Gunpowder, 28 to 40c lb; Oolong, black tea, 25 to 45c lb; Uncolored Japan, 18 to 48c lb; Best Tea Dust, 8c lb, Imperial tea, 40c lb.

Lion, Arbuckle and Jersey Coffee, 20c lb, bulk coffee reduced from 2 to 3c lb; nice, fresh, 1 lb Mackerels only 8c; apiece; best 8c Rice, now 4c lb, 10c Rice, now 7c lb; Vanilla Cream Syrup, 20c gallon, formerly sold at 30c; Corn meal 4c sack; Buckwheat, 8c sack; all 5c soaps 3½c cake; Smoking and Chewing Tobacco reduced from 10 to 20c lb; Crackers, 3½c lb; Bulk Starch, 3½c lb; Oatmeal, 3c lb; Rolled Oats, 3c lb. Big reduction in all package Cereals. Best 12c Sugar Corn, 5c can; all other Canned Goods 1 to 3c per can cheaper. Queen Olives, 70c gallon; Sauer Kraut, 4c quart; Bulk Oysters, 25c quart; Flour, 45 and 90c.

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"Everything New"

For Spring, every day sees new deliveries of the latest productions in New Spring Dress Goods, New Silks, New Silk Waists, New Percales, New Drapery Goods, etc. Below we mention some choice attractions for early buyers.

NEW SILKS:

Choice Persian Patterns Habutai Silks, 25 inches wide, at $1.00 yard.
The new shadow Patterns and Warp Printed Silks, most elegant color effects at $1.25 yard.
Black Brocade "Jap" Silks, a variety of elegant designs, 22 and 25 inch width at 50c and 75c yard.

NEW DRESS GOODS:

A new assortment of Fancy Boucle Mixtures, All Wool, beautiful patterns at 50c yard.
New Matallasse and Figured Mohair Dress Goods, a great line, at 50c yard.
Our own importation of new Spring Silk and Wool Plaids, all the new color combinations at 75c yard.
Choice exclusive novelties in Silk and Wool and Crepon imported Dress patterns, the very finest goods at $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 yard.

NEW BELTS:

New Gold and Silver Belts 50c each. New Iridescent Belts, $1.00 each. New Leather Belts, 19, 25, 35 and 50c. New Silk Belts, 25c and 50c.

NEW SILK WAISTS:

The New Spring Styles just received, including Fancy Stripe Taffeta Silk Waists, Lace trimmed Black Brocade and Plain Taffeta Silk Waists, Latest Bishop Sleeves, Full Jabot Front, etc; New Persian and Shadow Silk Waists, Velvet Collar and Fullest Sleeves. A few of them are displayed in our west show window.

NEW EMBROIDERIES:

All the New Irish Point and Lace Edest Patterns in every quality, width and price.

NEW PERCALES:

100 pieces New Spring Patterns Percales, 32 inch wide, at 10c yard. 50 pieces 36 inch Finest Quality Percales, latest designs, Fast colors, at 12½c yd.

NEW DRAPERY GOODS:

Beautiful Designs in the New Figured Momie Cloth Draperies, at 12½c yard. New Crepe Silkines, the latest patterns, at 15c yard. Fancy "Jap" Crepe Draperies, new designs for spring, at 19c yard.

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Small Patterns,	5c.
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